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SINKING OF BATTLESHIP OUTSTANDING FEATURE IN EVENTS OF THE CONFLICT

Whether the British Sea Fighter Was Victim of Mines or a German Submarine Not Known, Nor Has Exact Place of the Disaster Been Made Known by Officials.

PAUCITY OF NEWS OF BATTLE ON LAND

Both Sides Are Carrying Out Maneuvers Which Have Been in Effect Several Days, According to Reports, and in Entrenched Lines in Flanders Artillery Duels Continue—Belgrade Bombarded.

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The outstanding feature of the war news continues to be the sinking by a mine or a torpedo in the North Sea of the battleship Formidable, with a probable loss of 600 lives. Only 150 men of her crew of 750 are known definitely to have been saved as the vessel sank beneath the heavy waves kicked up by the gale that was raging. Eighty men were rescued with great difficult by a British cruiser and 70 by a trawler. The British admiralty has not made known the spot where the ship was blown up.

Neither has it made a definite assertion as to whether the disaster was neither has it made a definite assertion as to whether the disaster was neither has it made a definite assertion as to whether the disaster was have been in effect for many days. In the entrenched line in Flanders and have been in effect for many days. In the entrenched line in Flanders and have been in effect for many days. In the entrenched line in Flanders and hinders are disputing vigorously their every move. North of the Vistual Russians are disputing vigorously their every move. North of the Vistual and ordered that they be paid for it A statement issued by the embassy said:

"The vessel was one of a large number which had shipped cargoes of wheat in the United States before the outbreak of the war consigned to German firms in Germany. Generally have had regarding the reports of a Filipino uprising. Governor Harrison reported that the rouble administration may have had regarding the reports of a Filipino uprising. Governor Harrison reported that the trouble administration may have had regarding the reports of a Filipino uprising. Governor Harrison reported that the trouble administration may have had regarding the reports of a Filipino uprising. Governor Harrison have had present in the United States before the outbreak of the war consigned to German firms in Germany. Generally by the German double to the bottle that the voluble administration may have had regarding the reports of a Filipino uprising. Governor Harrison have had present in the United

In Galicia and the Carpathians the Russians and Austrians are battling hard for supremacy. Vienna says conditions in the Carpathians are unchanged, but that in Galicia the Russian attacks have been repulsed with heavy casualties to the Muscovites and a loss of 2,000 prisoners and machine

in sight.

Denial of Peace Plan.

ing strength and that most German ships are safe in neutral ports."

Steamer Not Searched.

to Rotterdam, to proceed without be-

sequently discovered that five mem-bers of the crew were Germans, who worked their way over and then pro-

ceeded into Germany.

It is said here that there were also

Situation Unchanged.

"The enemy's attacks, both day and

night, at Biala and south of Tarnow

(both in Galicia) have been repulsed, our troops inflicting heavy losses and

taking 2,000 prisoners and six ma-

the operations but slight progress has

been made there.
"In the southern war theatre noth-

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"North of the Vistula fog hinders

chine guns.

Reception is Abandoned

Usual Formal White House

Washington, Jan. 1.-The usual for- | golf in the morning and took a long

of foreign diplomats and government and Miss Helen Woodrow Bones, his

mal White House New Year reception automobile ride in the afternoon.

ing has happened."

Four Austrian monitors bombarded the storm, hoping against hope, until Belgrade, Servia, Thursday, but with the brown sails of the Providenci hove

President Poincare of France, in a new Year's address to the diplomatic corps, said he had not doubt that "next year" at this traditional reception we shall celebrate together the establishment of a beneficent peace, which, solidly based on rectitude and whether the peace with traditional treaties will be separate peace with France conclude a separate peace with France. New Year's address to the diplomatic which, solidly based on rectitude and espect for international treaties, will live necessary security to the nations. Flight Commander Hewlett, one of the British naval aviators engaged in the recent raid on Cuxhaven, expresses the belief that a bomb dropped by him truck a German warship at Helgoland. Dense smoke rose from the vessel shortly after he dropped the misside.

Enperor Francis Joseph received the New Year greatings of the im-

Emperor Francis Joseph received the New Year greetings of the im-perial family and presided over the

family dinner. A cargo of American copper which it is alleged was to be smuggled through Denmark into Germany has been seized in Copenhagen.

London, Jan. 2, 3:42 a. m .- The chamber of commerce, the chairman Daily Chronicle states that survivors of the battleship Formidable report that the vessel was torpedoed both fore and aft early Friday morning and that the vessel was torpedoed both fore and aft early Friday morning and sank almost immediately.

This, he said, has created great confidence. He said the Reichsbank has done excellent work during the war, that the railways have shown increas-

Trawler Picks Up 70.

London, Jan. 1 .- The Tor Bay trawler Providenci has landed seventy additional survivors from the battleship Formidable. They were rescued by the trawler during a terrific storm this morning. This makes the aggre-gate number saved, so far as is known. The rescue was made under dangerous and exciting circumstances. The crew of the trawler were amazed while running before the gale for shelter to find a small, open boat, driving under their lee through mountainous seas with an car height. tainous seas with an oar hoisted, bearing a sailor's scarf. After des-perate efforts those on the trawler succeeded in getting a rope to the cutter and brought her with great skill cutter and brought her with sreat skill cutter and brought her with sreat skill among the passengers several other German reservists with false passengers, but even then there was danties and that they went from Rotter-

ger of losing men, as the seas were dam to Germany. running thirty feet high. After a half hour's work, however, all were safely rescued. One lad of 19 was so exhausted he requised immediate treatment to save his life. When all had left the cutter her rope was cut had left the cutter her rope was cut, as she was full of water, having a hole under her hull which had been stuffed with a pair of trousers, of such angel. which one man had divested himself for the purpose.

for the purpose.
Some of the rescued men had little Some of the rescued men had little clothing and they were cared for in the warm engine room. The naval men had been in the cutter for nearly twelve hours. The crew of the trawler distributed hot coffee, food and to-bacco among the benumbed sailors. When they landed, the residents brought blankets, clothing and boots for the survivors and housed them in for the survivors and housed them in

comfortable quarters. comfortable quarters.

The experience of these survivors from the Formidable is almost indescribable. For hours before being rescued they had been battling against

officials called with greetings for

President Wilson.
Ambassadors and ministers mingled

with cabint members, justices of the supreme court, bureau heads and high

Uprising Quelled



charges as a result.

OFFICERS ATTEMPT TO STOP PA-

The official press bureau said today that reports had been received from About 700

The official press bureau said today that reports had been received from Madrid stating that Tangier is again threatened by Moorish rebels and that the French have lost more than 1,40 men and many officers in fighting in Morocco.

Another news item given out by the official press bureau today says:

"At a meeting of the Hamburg "At a meeting of the Capture of Commerce, the chairman" in the official press bureau today says:

"At a meeting of the Hamburg "League of Unemployed." The inscriptives and the prices of sale to the German buyers and the prices realized in the buyers and the prices realized in the property and the prices realized in the property and the prices realized in the property and the prices realized in the pric

London, Jan. 1.—Through consideration for Dr. Henry Van Dyke, the American minister to The Nether-American minister to The Nether-lands, the British government permit-ted the steamer Nieuw Amsterdam, on which Dr. Van Dyke was a passenger during its last voyage from New York

"Little Tom," Tiniest Baby in Oklahoma, Died New Year's Day

Tulsa, Okla., Jan. 1.—"Little Tom," the smallest baby in Oklanoma, so-called because he slept during the six weeks of his earthly existence in cigar box, died New Year's day. never weighed more than two and onehalf pounds, and his head would slip easily into a small teacup. A cigal box was used for a coffin.

Amsterdam, via London, Jan. 1.— The following efficial communication from Vienna was received here this New Year Will See Great War at an End

Paris, Jan. 1.—The belief that th year now beginning will see the end-ing of the war was expressed by President Poincare in an address today to members of the diplomatic corps who went to the palace of the Elysee to present New Year's congratulations to the president.
"I do not doubt that next year, at

this traditional reception, we shall celebrate together the establishmen of a beneficent peace, which, solidly based on rectitude and respect for international treaties, will give necessary security to the nations," said the Must Conceal Grief.
Rome, Jn. 1.—Ricciotti Garibaldi,
son of the Italian patriot and father

The British ambassador, Sir Francis Bertie, as dean of the diplomatic corps, presented the congratulations of his colleagues and himself. In his address, Sir Francis remarked that the diplomats present at the reception comprise "the representatives of the nations fishting at the side of France and of other nations, upon which neu-trality imposes special duties in the grave crisis which Europe is travers-

Twelve Rounds to Draw.

Waterbury, Conn., Jan. 1.—In a slow, featureless bour, Gunboat Smith and mal White House New Year reception only members of his family with him the distribution of the management of having been abandoned because of were Mrs. Francis B. Sayre and Miss Battling heavyweights having been abandoned because of were Mrs. Francis B. Sayre and Miss Battling Levinsky, heavyweights Mrs. Wilson's death, a steady stream Margaret Wilson, two of his daughters, fought twelve rounds to a draw here foreign diplomats and government and Miss Helen Woodrow Bones, his tonight. Smith was the aggression with both houses of congress in recess and all government departments closed the day was generally observed as a holiday here.

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DECISION OF PRIZE **COURT IN LONDON IS** GIVEN TO THE PUBLIC

ARGO OF WHEAT SHIPPED FROM AMERICA TO GERMAN CON SIGNEES PRIOR TO THE WAR IS STILL PROPERTY OF CLAIM-ANTS IN UNITED STATES.

Dispute Referred to English Tribunal to Determine Point of Law Whether Goods at Time of Seizure Belong to Persons Who Sold Them or Those to Receive Them.

the case of the British steamship Miramichi, loaded with wheat and nounced here tonight by the British embassy. The court held that the wheat was still the property of the American claimants and ordered that

property of the American shippers or of the German consignees.

"Judgment was delivered by the prize court on Nov. 23 to the effect that cargo of wheat on the Miramichi remained the property of the Americani claimants was not, therefore sub-

"Leave to appeal was granted by he court, but this was not proceeded with since it was the desire of the British government to whom repre-sentations had been made in behalf of the American shippers to treat these representations with every considera-tion. The case having been made a test one, other shipments are being released in like manner, provided that

prices about 30c a bushel, or 10 shill-ings a quarter, a rate which is con-siderably lower than the present ac-tual market price of the wheat. The

trade, was told to haul down.

The police said Druer was reluctant to obey. Witnesses declared the police clubbed him. He was arrested, charged with assault and disorderly conduct. Men and women attacked the police in an effort to liberate Druer, but were driven off by reserves.

Joplin, Mo., Jan. 1.—Carrying drinks o a party of New Year revelers early today was fatal to John Marshall, 40 years old. When he entered the apartments at a hotel here of Mrs. Nora Watson, 21, who, with her husthe police, handed a revolver to Marshall and told him to "make some noise." The weapon was discharged oise." The weapon was discharged. Mrs. Watson was taken into custody and is held by the police pending an inquiry into Marshall's death.

Train Crew Saves Negro From a Mob

Charleston, Mo., Jan. 1.—A gang of negro levee workmen attempted to lynch Andrew Wiggins, one of their number, here today because he had number, here today because he had stabbed the foreman, William Dodson, a white man. A passing train crew interfered and saved the negro after the gang had placed a rope around his eck, preparatory to hanging him. Tonight Dodson is in a critical condition. Wiggins with gunshot wounds in the arms and head, received while resisting arrest, is in jail.

Ball Cartridges Cause Much Damage

Kansas City, Jan. 1.—Ordinances prohibiting the sale of blank cart-ridges in Kansas City, Kan., but which place had no ban on the sale of ball artridges, were blamed by the police cartridges, were blamed by the police for the injury to one man and damage to more than 100 houses and windows caused by stray bullets in the New Year's celebration. Dealers in firearms said they had an unusually heavy demand for cartridges, vositions. heavy demand for cartridges yesterday and today.

Will Reopen Monday

Ogden. Utah, Jan. 1 .- After being

"America's Most Beautiful Girl"



War.

"From information now received ander Michaelovitch, cousin of the czar, on his last visit to this country, "the most beautiful girl in America," and whose engagement to S. Bryce Wing to German firms before the war at prices about 30c a bushel, or 10 shill-lines a country and whose expert in the saddle.

Was agreed to the czar, on his last visit to this country, "the most beautiful girl in America," and whose engagement to S. Bryce Wing that it is a noted amateur horseman and polo player. Miss Tailer is also an expert in the saddle.

BRYAN ADVOCATES 300UNEMPLOYEDMEN TOTAL ABSTINENCE INVADE A RECEPTION Cordoba. "The crushing defeat administered Zapata yesterday has turned into a wild rout and the enemy is being purwild rout and the enemy is being pur-

SUREST WAY TO OVERTHROW LIQUOR TRAFFIC.

of that organization here tonight. Mr. unemployed.

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A conference followed, at which the Bryan also asserted that those "who city commissioners arranged to metacal self-government when enough then dispersed. states act favorably to make it likely band, was entertaining friends, Mrs. that a national amendment will be Watson, according to a story told to ratified."

The letter in part follows:
"In the matter of prohibition, think at present the emphasis should be laid on the contests in the states. In some states the time is ripe for ac-tion, and I think it is better to concentrate the forces on these than to spread them over the entire Union.

"The strong vote polled in the house few days ago shows how rapidly entiment is growing against the sa-oon. In the debate over the amendment a good deal was said about the doctrine of 'local self-government.' It was invoked against national prohibi-tion. You need not worry about that. The liquor interests have no more respect for local self-government than they have for federal action."

Numbers of letters from statesmen

college presidents and leading men in state and national life were read. Robert L. Owen, United States senator from Oklahoma, predicted "relief to this country from the physical and mental degredation of men from the liquor traffic, with resulting perfidy and crime, can be more speedily brought about if the colleges of the brought about if the colleges of the United States throw themselves into this battle on the right side."

Griffin and wife were arrested here by the police December 23 on instructions from the New York

Warning Growl of Dog Foils Robber

Houston, Tex., Jan. 1 .- An attempt n the early hours of the new year to nurder Bert Morrow, marshal, and cob Magnolia Park city treasury of \$6,000 taxes received on the last day of the year failed. The failure is ascribed to a warning growl of Mor-row's little woolly dog. The officer glanced toward the window just in time to see a man leveling a six-shootrethrough the window at him. He blied to the floor instantaneously as bullet crashed into the wall where had been sitting but a second becre. The would-be assassin then dispersed in the darkness.

No exercise have been made. er through the window at him. He rolled to the floor instantaneously as

WORK-PLAN CONFERENCE.

Topeka, Kan, Jan. 1 .- Total absti- Denver, Jan. 1 .- Three hundred un nence as the surest way of overthrow- employed men marched to the quaring the liquor traffic was advocated ters of the Denver chamber of comby William J. Bryan, secretary of merce today, where the annual New state, in a letter to Elon G. Borton, Year's reception to the city and state ring Drinks

state, in a letter to Flon G. Borton, national secretary of the Intercollegiate Prohibition association, read at the closing session of the convention discuss the question of providing work for the

want to abolish saloons will not aflow them to hide behind the pretext of lo-

Union Machinists Will Be Withdrawn

Savannah, Ga., Jan. 1.-Union machinists employed as instructors in various state prisons will be with-However, this is a matter of opinion, and relates to the policy of national action at this time, rather than to the principles involved.

drawn, it was announced here tonight by William H. Johnston of Washington, president of the International Association of Machinists.

The organization's executive board, now meeting here, today approved the report of the association's committee to the recent convention of American Federation of Labor recommending such action, and emphasized its opposition to prison factory products competing with the out-put of free labor. The date for the withdrawal of the

instructors has not been set.

Man and Wife Under Arrest in Colorado

Colorado Springs, an. 1.-Francis H.

after they had been trailed to this city by a detective in the employ of the surety company which held the for-feited bonds. While in this city Griffin and his wife for a time stopped at the best hotel, then changed to a quiet boarding house, for the purpose, according to the police, of eluding the authorities. The couple came here December 3 after having been in Chicago, Detroit and Kansas City.

Six Hundred Men Go **Back to Work Monday**

FRICTION BETWEEN DELAYS CONVENTION

RECONVENING OF AGUAS CALIEN TES MEETING MAY NOT TAKE PLACE IN MEXICO CITY FOR AN-OTHER WEEK, ACCORDING TO ADVICES RECEIVED IN EL PASO

Failure to Have Gathering of Chiefs at Appointed Time Leaves General Gutierrez as Provisional Head of the Warring Nation-Reports of Killings at Vera Cruz.

El Paso, Tex., Jan. 1.-The reconvening of the Aguas Callentes convention at Mexico City, set for Jan. 1. probably will not occur for more than a week, according to advices received here today. It was said the delay was caused by the friction between the Villa and Zapata elements over promiscuous executions. Zapata remained at Cuernavaca and Villa at Mex-

At the meeting of the chiefs supporting the convention government, an election of a provisional president was to have been held. The delay will leave General Gutierrez in the office of chief executive. It was admitted the Zapata element will oppose his

From Vera Cruz came reliable reports that killings for political reaons has been almost as frequent as at Mexico City. Friction was reported between General Obregon, command-ing the Carranza troops, and some of the Carranza cabinet members. Juan N. Amador, a lawyer of El Paso, has been appointed subsecretary and acting head of the Carranza foreign relations department. He will succeed Ysidro Fabela, who has been sent on a mission to Murope. Amador has lived many years on the bor-der here and is familiar with Ameri-can business methods and customs. No authentic reports of fighting or military novements between the Villa

Trainloads of Soldiers.

and Carranza forces have reached the

Washington, Jan. 1.—The Carranza sency made public tonight the following advices from Apizaco, Vera Cruz, via Galveston:

"All during the day trainloads of soldiers have been arriving at point and nurried forward from here to join Obregon's army pushing toected to be hammering at its gates n less than a month. Cannon, hos-pital equipment and provisions are beng sent to the front. The wounded are being sent back to Orizaba and

SECRETARY OF STATE SAYS IT'S DENVER'S JOBLESS VISIT NEW Alvarado are expected to occupy Pu-

No Agreement Reached.

Naco, Ariz., Jan. 1.—Efforts to secure a final agreement of Governor Maytorena, the Villa leader, to the terms approved by both Villa and Carranza, have failed thus far. Scott, chief of staff of the United States army, says. however, that the solution is far from

THE WEATHER

SHORTER LESSONS AH LONGER RECESS IS WOT WE WANT!



Washington, Jan. 1 .- Forecas West Texas-Fair Saturday cept possibly rain or snow in tral and west portions; S

fair. East Texas-Unsettled Sature probably local rains; Sunday pa

Louisiana-Fair Saturday

Voluntary Forecast. Continued clear and moder with little changes is the prediction of Dr. voluntary observer and optional today's Waco weather.

Local Temperatures. Temperatures for the twen four hours ending at 7 p. m. yeste day: Maximum 62 at 3 p. m., mini mum 32 at 4 a. m., barometer 30.32 humidity 50, wind passage 10 miles, fastest 12 miles an hour a

supreme court, bureau heads and high officers of the army and navy, as they of the army and navy, as they officers of the consumptives.

Care of Consumptives.

New York, Jan. 1.—After being of closed six weeks, excepting a few days of institutional care of the consumptives.

New York, Jan. 1.—After being of closed six weeks, excepting a few days a bullet crashed into the wall where the floor instantaneously as a bullet crashed into the wall where the floor instantaneously as the following the following in the floor instantaneously as the following the following in the floor instantaneously as the following the fo visits. He played his usual game of President Estrada of Guatemala.

LETTER EMPHASIZES SCARCITY OF SHIPS

LACK OF NEUTRALS TO CARRY REVIVING TRADE SUBJECT OF COMMUNICATION.

SECRETARY M'ADOO AUTHOR

Official Says Some Companies Are Offering Boats About Which Question Exists.

Washington, Jan. 1.—Scarcity of neutral ships to carry the reviving trade between the United States and Germany is emphasized in a letter written by Secretary McAdoo to Rep. Alexander, chairman of the house interstate and foreign commerce com-mittee, concerning development of the work of the war risk insurance board in the treasury department.

"Some of the steamship companies," the secretary said, "are offering boats that have been in port out of use for a considerable length of time, and some, indeed, of such class as to ren-der it questionable whether they should be permitted to sail on such

Mr. McAdoo said the board was writing insurance up to \$750,000 on cargoes of cotton to Germany, the amount divided between vessels and cargoes, and added that he understood the regular marine insurance com-panies were now writing policies more freely. He quoted the board as re-

"It can be safely assumed the American and German companies are doing their utmost to relieve the existing situation and to develop a sufficient market to take care of the largest cargo. The German companies have a very special reason for desiring to do the utmost in this direction.

"As far as marine insurance is con-

cerned, we must differentiate between ships destined to German ports and those to neutral ports with the possibility of trans-shipment to Germany.
As to the latter, the situation is practically no different than exists in ordinary years. Rates to Rotterdam, Copenhagen and other Scandinavian ports are practically the same as last year on similar vessels. The size of the market is more than sufficient on such risks to take care of any cargo

by a suitable steamer.

"The situation as to shipments to Germany is more difficult and the availble market is limited to Germany." and American companies. The situa-tion is rapidly improving and the martion is rapidly improving and the market is developing under the demand. The rates charged are not excessive, taking into account that the ports are on a coast on which it is safe to assume many of the aids to navigation have been removed and that salvage operations near that coast, under war operations near that coast, under war conditions, would be almost impossi-

AT THE THEATRES.

"Fine Feathers." "Fine Feathers," a modern drama presented at the Auditorium last night, was one of the strongest plays that has been seen here this season. The tale centers around a young couple, with start out in life with a small salary, fine principles, and the hope that something will eventually "turn up" to put them on a higher basis financially. After a year or two, the pretty little wife becomes discontented with the household drudgery and the lack of pretty clothes, so that when an opportunity comes for her husband to make a few thousand dollars in a shady transaction, she pleads with him to accept the offer made to him by a millionaire promoter. He refuses at first, but finally, afraid of losing her. he takes up the proposition in order that she may have the money to give her the finery and the easy life she craves. One wrong step leads to another, he becomes involved in speculation and loses everything, makes an overdraft of ten thousand dollars on his bank, and finally, when he dis-covers that his first dishonest action has resulted in an accident which cost the lives of three hundred people, he

ing his wife and the man who first tempted him to go scot free. The part of Jane Reynolds, the wife, was ably portrayed by Marise Naugh-ton, while Allen Leiber as Robert Reynolds, the husband, gave a splendid interpretation of his role. Thurlow White, as the loyal friend, and R. E. Hill as the unscrupulous man," were equally good, and while the cast was by no means "all star" is gave excellent support to the prin-

Opponents Trying to Oust the Mayor

Toledo, Ohio, Jan. 1.—Republican opponents of Mayor Carl Keller are circulating petitions which they will present to Gov. Willis when he takes his seat, Jan. 11, asking that Keller be removed for neglect of duty. Keller is a republican, and a year ago today succeeded Brand Whitlock, now

Germany's Fear.

Modern political and economic teaching in Germany is based primarily on a fear that Germanistic inmences are really threatened by the petition of the outside powers. I dhould say that the reason for this s that, in the first place, the Germans have taken their history very seriously. The philosophy which they took seriously was the evolutionary tinuous struggle for survival and the necessary elimination of the unfit. To them the doctrine of Malthusianism was more than an academic theory—it was an explanation of passing events. It was taken vitally as one of the fundamental facts of modern life. I once heard a German economist say, "There is really only one all-important fact in the field of economics, namely, that populations terday. increase beyond the means of com-To this particular fortable existence." economist the fact of increasing pop-ulation was in itself an adequate proof of the inevitability of the conflict of races and the absolute necessity of anticipating such conflicts in the future. This obviously is no new the ticipating such conflicts in the fu-ture. This obviously is no new the-ory. Many writers have explained the great events of the past history according to this principle. Many philosophers have given to it their academic assent, or have seriously dis-cussed the influence of the fact upon social life. To the German thinkers of the modern school, however, it seemed a vital, living reality. It seemed a vital, living reality. It seemed something to be thought of on rising in the morning and on retiring at night.—Prof. Henry C. Emery in January Yale Review.

Although McLennan county district and justice courts remained open until noon yesterday, practically no business was transacted in either of them. Casey Mills, negro, pleaded guilty in

Asks Trial for Porter Charlton



PORTER CHARLTON.

The trial of Porter Charlton, for the murder of his wife at Como, Italy, The trial of Porter Charlton, for the murder of his wife at Como, Italy, has again been postponed, according to cabled advices received here by Charlton's attorney. Charlton has now been in prison in Italy for more than a year and a half. He was held in jail in Hoboken for two years prior to his extradition. Secretary Bryan recently cabled to Rome instructions to the American ambassador to take up with the Italian authorities the question of procuring an immediate trial for Charlton.

SINKING OF BATTLESHIP OUTSTANDING FEATURE IN EVENTS OF THE CONFLICT

think only of the best means for end-ing the struggle. Lieutenant Garibaldi was killed leading Italian volunteers in a charge on a German position. His men took two German trenches.

Foreign Coin Sold.

London, Jan. 1.—The Bank of England announced today that a consignment of 1,104,000 pounds (\$5,070,000) foreign coin has been sold. The destination of the second control of the s nation of the coin was not disclosed, and it was at first believed that the money was for France. It was stated tonight in banking circles, however, that the coin was not to be exported and that the transaction was in effect a transfer in behalf of the Bank of Ottawa to New York account. takes the coward's route, suicide, leav-

Steamer Strikes Reef.
Harwich, Eng., Jan. 1, via London,
Jan. 2, 2:15 a. m.—A torpedo boat
brings the news that the Norwegian steamer Odeneence struck a reef soon after leaving Rotterdam Friday morning and probably will be a total wreck. Her crew of 42 was saved.

Wheat for Belgium.

Chicago, Jan. 1.—The Rockefeller Foundation has bought 6.500,000 bush-els of wheat in the Chicago market in Foundation has bought 6,500,000 busnels of wheat in the Chicago market in the last month for the aid of inhabitants of Belgium, it was announced here today. This mark was reached when 475,000 bushels of Chicagothe last month for the aid of inhabi-tants of Belgium, it was announced

of Lieut. Druno Garibaldi, killed in the Argonne forest recently, speaking today of the death of his son, said he must conceal his paternal grief and think only of the best means for end.

Fierce Encounters Reported. Petrograd, Jan. 1.—The following statement from the general staff of the army of the Caucasus was given out here tonight:
"Flerce encounters have taken place

not modified on the other fronts."

Tokio, Jan. 2, 10:20 a. m.—The fact that Japanese sailors went to the Russian frontier some time ago to deliver guns and ammunition purchased in Japanese and that an outbooks to the same time ago to deliver guns and ammunition purchased in Japanese and that an outbooks to the same time ago to deliver guns and ammunition purchased in Japanese and that an outbooks to the same time ago to deliver guns and that an outbooks to the same time ago to deliver guns and ammunition purchased in the same time ago to deliver guns and the same time ago to deliver guns ago to deliver g Japan and that an authorization by Emperor Nicholas for Japanese to

Another War Loan. London, Jan. 2, 1:45 a. m.—It is an-

CITY NEWS BRIEFS. A grass fire at the lawn at 2220

North Fifth street called out the de-partment at 12 o'clock yesterday noon. No damage was done. Harry P. Jordan and Howard D. McElroy have formed a law partner-ship and will have offices in the Fi-

P. W. Hixon, charged with taking a watch from D. R. Spurlin, was trans-Year congratulations of the members ferred from the city to county jail of the imperial family and presided at yesterday. Hixon was arrested by city the usual family dinner.

officers. John Willaford, an employe of the city, lost \$25 Thursday night when his home at Twelfth and Mary streets was home at Twelfth and Mary streets was and Dick Gilbert fought 15 fast rounds

all-important fact in the field of local civil service commissioner, yes-

Two masses were celebrated at the Church of the Assumption yesterday, the first at 6 a. m., the second at 8:30 Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament

Waco's new \$8,500 automobile fire engine, the "John Dollins," will be put to an initial trial test today. The pumper reached here from the factory last Wednesday. The engine is to be installed in West End station. With it the department has four auto-driven

machines. Although McLennan county district Call in the yellow, the black and the Casey Mills, negro, pleaded guilty in

county court to vagrancy. He was fined \$25 and costs. Miles was arrested Sunday on a charge of selling liquor without a license. The courts were all closed in the afternoon, as were the majority of the county offices, also city offices.

Joseph Receives Greetings.

Vienna, Jan. 1, via Bondon, Jan. 2, 12:31 a. m.—Emperor Francis Joseph today personally received the New

15 Rounds to Draw.

Turcos and spahis galore, Annamite riflemen, Tonkingese troops, And this is a white man's war!

Rajputs, Baluchi and Sikah and Gond, Kyberi, Burmese and raw Levies Mayalsian, West African blacks-And this is a white man's war!

Tartar and Cossack and Turcoman, Kalmuck and Kerghis and more Usberg and Yakut and Karakalpac-And this is a white man's war!

Three against one, are the odds so That ye must needs, to score brown And this is a white man's war!

-Frederick H. Martens in the Fath-

Uneeda Biscult

Tempt the appetite, please the taste and nourish the body. Crisp, clean and fresh-5 cents in the moistureproof package.



Baronet Biscuit

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Zu Zu

Prince of appetizera! Makes daily trips from Ginger-Snap Land to waiting mouths everywhere. Say Zu Zu to the grocer man, 5 cents.



Buy biscuit baked by NATIONAL BISCUIT COMPANY Always look for that name

AMALGAMATED CONCERN SAYS WILL ACCEPT TONNAGE TO FULL CAPACITY.

Ogden, Utah, Jan. 1.-Contracts are around Sarikamysh (in Trans-Caucasia, 35 miles southwest of Kars).

"We have stopped the Turkish offensive toward Olti, 35 miles west of of 1915 and the corporation announced "In the region of Ardahan (a fortified town, 45 miles northwest of Kars) the situation is unchanged and it is not modified on the other fronts."

The output of the four sugar factories operated by this company dur-

per cent over 1913. Conditions of the sugar market as Emperor Nicholas for Japanese serve in the Russian army was ga-serve in the Russian army was ga-zetted recently in Harbin, is advanced here as a possible explanation of the here as a possible explanation of the report in circulation that a Japanese report in the Russian army was ga-the belief that the war will continue through the growing season of 1915 and further curtail the output of Germany and Austria, are given as the a result of the European war, with the belief that the war will continue reasons for the decision.

PERSONAL MENTION.

J. S. Burland of Dallas is here. A. M. Waldrop, merchant of Bryan, s in the city. Miss Mabel Lee of the East Side is

visiting at Itasca. B. F. Frost and wife and children are here from San Antonio. Frank McNeese and family of Hub-

bard are registered at the Waco. Miss Grace Cogdell of Itasca is spending the week with Miss Geraldine Hopkins, 1701 Washington, Mrs. Milton L. Strauss and Mrs. Sam

Strauss left yesterday for Houston to spend a while with friends. Thomas Peyton Rhodes of Joplin, Missouri, has been a visitor here for the holidays. He is leaving tonight.

Judge J. N. Gallagher has been seriously ill at his residence on West Austin for two weeks. He is somewhat improved. Isadore S. Segal of Segal's Smaple Shoe store left yesterday for Boston

to see the styles and to buy shoes for their chain of stores. Mrs. Ed Rodgers has returned to her home at Hillsboro, after having been Xmas guest of her son, W. A. Rodgers, at 2020 Colcord.

Miss Nessie Shaw is spending the week-end with Miss Dovy Jones in Reagan. Miss Jones is to be married Sunday to J. F. Crouch of Waco.

Mrs. M. L. Hoffmann of Dallas street, East Waco, has started on a trip to Havana, Cuba. She will first visit a sister in Memphis, Tenn. A. L. Marks left yesterday for New York, Chicago, St. Louis and Kansas

next month.

UNITED STATES OFFICIAL MUST SHOW WHY UNCLE SAM IS ENTITLED TO MONEY.

Man Who Befriended Chicago's Needy Forty-five Years Ago Gave the Government \$3,500.

Denver, Colo., Jan. 1.-United States District Attorney Harry B. Tedrow has been served with a citation ordering him to appear before Ira C. Roth-gerber, county judge, and show cause why the government of the United States is entitled to receive \$3500 from the estate of Rufus ("Potato") Clark, it was announced today. Clark died it was announced today. Clark died about four years ago, leaving an estate of more than \$100,000. The bulk of the estate was bequeathed to a religious organization for missionary work in Africa. One clause of the will, however, was as follows:

"I direct my executor to pay to the government of the United States the sum of \$2500, the same being a sum I

sum of \$3500, the some being a sum I knew a man in 1863 to have then defrauded the United States. The fact was never reported by me, which I now feel in honor to do."

The religious organization which re

ceived the larger bequest seeks to prevent the payment of the money to the United States, holding that a be-quest to the government is illegal. Clark received his nickname of "Potato" when he sent a carload of potatoes from Colorado to the destitute in Chicago after the fire in the 70's.

WORKING GIRLS WILL HAVE HOT LUNCH ROOM

Y. M. B. L. CLUB ROOMS OFFERED FREE TO THOSE WHO DESIRE TO USE THEM.

Hot Drinks at Lowest Possible Price, to Eat With Lunches, Proposed. Nucleus of Y. W. C. A.

Working girls of the city who do not draw a sufficient wage to enable them to buy a warm lunch downtown the middle of the day have been granted the free use of the Y. M. B. L. rooms for a lunch and rest room, ac-cording to an announcement made by President W. W. Woodson at the openhouse meeting of that organization last night. The announcement was

greeted with applause.

It is the purpose of the young women and those who are backing them in the movement to provide hot coffee the movement to provide ho the movement to provide hot coffee and tea for all working girls in the city who care for it at the lowest pos-sible price, the service to be con-ducted upon a co-operative basis. The girls will thus have a place where they can go at the noon hour to eat their lunches with at least something warm proposition works out successfully, soup and other things that will add to the attractiveness of the lunch will doubtless be added.

All the details have not been worked out as yet, but a committee consisting of representatives from practically every institution in the city where girls are employed in considerable numbers, is working upon the motion.

Waco Commandery No. 10, Knights Templar, elected officers and enjoyed a social hour at the temple last night. The officers were installed following election and a program was furnished and luncheon served by the Ladies of the Eastern Star.

Following were the officers elected, these to serve one year.

and large and beneficial results are anticipated. It is hoped by some who are interested in the work that this will prove the nucleus from which an active Young Women's Christian association will develop.

Destruction of Home.



COUNTESS DE CHAMBURN.

The Countess de Chamburn, formerly York, Chicago, St. Louis and Kansar.

The Countess de Chamburi, forniering the Marks Millinery company's store, which is to open at 511 Austin street next month.

The Countess de Chamburi, forniering the Chamburi, f Dr. Wm. Brumby, formerly state to the French embassy in Washington health officer for Texas, recently appointed assistant medical director of the Amicable Life Insurance company, has arrived here to take up his duties in that position. He comes from San Antonio.

Made in Waco

Hail to the Young Men's Business League

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When Buying Any of These Articles Ask Your Dealer for Goods Made by The Dennis Mfg. Co.

914 to 930 South Ninth St.

AUTOS STRIKE TWO PERSONS; INJURIES

While crossing the street at Sixth and Austin yesterday afternoon the way to attract nationwide attention. 5-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Few products have ever received such

the Knights Templar published—others will be. They are particularly prized because they are

R. Phitzpatrick, B. F. Beaman and

Bruck, C. G.; D. G. Carpenter, senior warden; G. H. Zimmerman, junior warden; W. F. Quebe, warder; J. B. Sawtell, prelate; F. J. Stone, swordbearer; G. J. Olsen, standard-bearer; J. F. Brinkerhoff, recorder; M. T. Bell, treasurer; W. R. Hepler, sentinel; A. R. Phitzpatrick, B. F. Beaman and Ministry, and St. night on "The Mes-

AMAZING RECORD ON HOME GROUNDS

What 143 People Among Thousands Did at Houston, Texas,

The people of Houston, Texas, have given their approval of Vitalitas in a 5-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs.
J. H. Hightower, 808 Clay street, East
Waco, was struck by an automobile
and bruised on one limb and otherwise
injured, though not seriously. The car
was driven by W. M. McClain, 1310
Austin street.

McClain stopped his car and rendered all assistance possible, taking
the child and her mother home in his
car, after the child's injuries had been
dressed. The child had dropped be-

car, after the child's injuries had been dressed. The child had dropped behind her mother in crossing the street. At 10:30 yesterday morning a car driven by Mrs. C. L. Elkins, 2317 Franklin, struck G. M. Cox, who was walking across Fifth at Austin. Cox walking across Fifth at Austin. Cox was not seriously injured, being slightly bruised. In attempting to avoid striking the man Mrs. Elkins drove her car into a car belonging to Crate Dalton, doing some damage.

Officers Elected by

the Knights Tompler

ing Sunday morning on "Our Supreme Ministry," and at night on "The Message of Your Christ."

"FIDELITY BUILDING"

NEW HOME OF THE TEXAS FIDELITY AND Bonding Co.

Corner of Fifth and Franklin Streets.

This company has just moved into its modern and fireproof new home, which was built for and dedicated to the company by Captain C. H. Higginson.

This pioneer bonding company of Texas is strictly a home nstitution (all stock being owned by Texas people) and is heartily in accord with the Y. M. B. L. in its efforts towards assisting all home industries.

Our business for the year just ended was more than double that of the preceding year. For this we wish to thank our friends and patrons and wish to them a Happy and Prosperous

Sam Sanger, President Dan Wise, Secretary H. P. Jordan, Active Vice President F. B. Wortman, and General Attorney Treas. and Underwriting Mgr.

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To provide your loved ones with all that is best in pure food products is a step in the right direction, so then why not start today an account with us "begin the New Year

We are making some very interesting prices which will afford protection to your pocket-book, while our pure foods always take care of the stomach.

A FEW OF OUR PRICES QUOTED HERE.

17 lbs. Standard (pure cane) Granulated Sugar\$1.00 Granulated Sugar 10 lb. Pail Swift's Premium \$1.55 10 lb. Pail Swift's Silver Leaf Lard for\$1.45

48 lbs. White Chrysanthe-mum Flour, for\$1.85 Ib. Tin Private Estate 48 lbs. Quintessence Flour, for\$1.85

Swift's Mild Sugar Cured Premium Hams (North-ern pack and cure) lb... 20c Golden Grain Butter at 35c A.-B. Butter, (fresh every

hour) at 35c We also handle M.-B. Pasteur-ized Cream (to whip), Milk and Bulgarian.

And to close out we offer the Home-made Fruit Cakes, 65c

Home-made Fruit Cakes, \$1.25 Home-made Fruit Cakes, \$1.80 .\$1.50 Ferndell Plum Pudding, 50c

Curtis Bros.' Individual Plum Pudding, 15c size, at......10c Imported Spanish Layer Raisins, 50c size, at40c Give us your January Account.

THE GROCERY

Society Personals

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Martin of San Antonio are at the Riggins.

Miss Esther Woodward was up from

Mrs. Pearl Lovelace of Speight street will be at home from Dallas today.

Goodman, of North Fifth street, are wishes for the new. at home from Lockhart. The Misses Frances Hays and Flor-

rie Neale Cooper return to school in Washington City with Sunday.

Sunday notes the return of Miss Helen Miller of Washington street to

The Misses Jane Moore and Ruth Evans, who have been with Mrs. Peeler Williams in Lorena, will be at home this afternoon.

Miss Eloise Fort has returned to

Miss Isadore Levy was one of the out-of-town guests for the Progress club ball. She is visiting Miss Ray

Naman, Barnard street. On Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Waldrop, who have spent the holidays

with Mrs. M. B. Willis, on the South

BOTH PHONES 1958

Temple Study club meets in Dr. Warsaw's study: 7:45 o'clock.
The Student Piano club meets with Miss Mollie Quinius, 1801 Sanger; 2

THE EUTERPEAN CLUB

DOES NOT MEET TODAY resident of the Euterpean club, Mrs. Joseph Wren gives notice to members that the meeting of the club scheduled for this afternoon has been postponed until next Saturday.

A WEDDING AT REAGAN HAS A WACO GROOM

On Sunday afternoon down at Reagan occurs a wedding in which Waco is interested for the groom, Jesse Crouch of Speight street, is known to many here, and he returns with his bride, now Miss Dovie Jones, who also has friends in this city. Miss Bessie Shaw of Speight street has already gone down as one of the wedding

BUSINESS WOMEN'S LEAGUE READY TO MAKE QUILTS

The members of the Business Women's league are now ready to begin their work of making five hundred comforters to send into the Belgian homes. Material is ready, and the request now is, that any woman in the cfty who has a set of quilting frames, loan the same. Telephone the the city who has a set of quilting frames, loan the same. Telephone the Woulfe store, either phone, and leave name. The league will be pleased, and the one who loans a factor in this appealing work. this appealing work.

THE PHILO NEW YEAR BALL GIVES A VERY JOLLY TIME

were on hand, and chaperons were in provoking things where one finds how plenty. From the Philo a number went down to join the brilliant de Luxe For this, the prize fell to Caroling company at the Riggins. It is now to Farley. Then came a guessing all await the Easter tide for the next of around as to how many ornaments await the Easter tide for the hext of the announced general functions for the Philo club.

were on the Christmas tree. Here, for this, Mary Wilson won. The birthday the Philo club. the Philo club.

NEW YEAR AT PROGRESS CLUB GATHERS LARGE COMPANY

Miss Lilian Halbert, Twelfth and Jefferson, is at home from Houston.

Mrs. Walter Plunkett of Columbus street is visiting in Dallas and Fort Worth.

Miss Dogothy Finlay of South Fourth street returns from Galveston with Monday.

Mrs. Philip Sanger of Dallas is a visitor to her sister, Mrs. B. Haber, Twelfth and Franklin.

On Sunday, Miss Harriet Moore of South Fifth street returns to her class work in Temple.

Miss Alzada Knickerbocker, now of Temple, is the guest of Mrs. Vernon Staley, Colcord avenue.

Mrs. Max Goodman and Miss Sadie Goodman, of North Fifth street, are at home from Lockhart.

GATHERS LARGE COMPA

The New Year celebration at the Progress club, while not so formal in detail as that which opened the sea and the sea of the club and the which opened the sea of the source of the club and the women friends, but a number of visitors, both men and women, to enjoy the unusually good music and the well arranged program. The supper feature was eliminated in order that the women friends, but a number of visitors, both men and women, to enjoy the unusually good music and the well arranged program. The supper feature was eliminated in order that the women friends, but a number of visitors, both men and women, to enjoy the unusually good music and the well arranged program. The supper feature was eliminated in order that the women friends, but a number of visitors, both men and women, to enjoy the unusually good music and the well arranged program. The supper feature was eliminated in order that the women friends, but a number of visitors, both men and women, to enjoy the unusually good music and the well arranged program. The supper feature was eliminated in order that the women friends, but a number of visitors, both men and women, to enjoy the unusually good music and the well arranged program. The supper feature was eliminated in order that the women friends, but a number of visitors, both men and women, to enjoy the unusually good music and the well arranged program. The supper feature was eliminated in

TWO WEST END HOSTESSES HAVE BRIDGE MATINEE field

close, toasts were informally given the approaching new year. Mrs. Earl Mashad distinction of making the Helen Miller of Washington street to her school, Monticello Seminary, God-leading score, her trophy being a leading score, her trophy being a bunch of florist carnations. This bunch of florist carnations. her mother, Mrs. Walter Fort, on Washington street.

Mrs. Roy Burnett of San Antonio is leaving home today. She has been a visitor to the Horne household, South Eighth street.

Miss Isadore Levy was one of the out-of-town guests for the Progress

tion, and some returned in times gone alumni, there were a number of out- Luedde Mrs. Robert Allen is taking home passage for Hearne with Sunday. She has been the guest of her mother, Mrs.

T. A. Blair, North Fifteenth street.

The Misses Mabel Bunch and Pauline Cheeves, from Marlin, came for the Phi Delta Theta dance, guests of Miss Mildred Fort, Washington street. Miss Mildred Fort, Washington street. fraternity jollity and the general good

THE WOMEN'S CALENDAR FOR THIS SATURDAY Dr. and Mrs. J. W. Hale entertain the Cake Walkers, Huaco club; 8 the Phi Delta Thetas. In the dinner Miss Margaret Gorman, 616 North party were the Misses Stella Lacy, ifth, is hostess to the Beau Nots; Mary Shelton, Esther Woodward of Marlin, Mable Bunch of Marlin, Abi-gail Wilkes, Lucile Mayfield, Neil 3 o'clock. Miss Katherine Risher, Twelfth and Barron, is hostess to the Blue Bonnets; 8 o'clock. Temple Study club meets in Dr. Warsaw's study: 7:45 o'clock. Marin, Marie Bunch of Marin, And Gall Wilkes, Lucile Mayfield, Neil Orand and Mildred Fort, with Guy Witt, Walter Fort, Kyle Vick, Nelson Smith, Junior, James Edmond, Hawthorne Kyser of Marin, Emmett Hunthorne Kyser of Marin, Marie Bunch of Marin, And Marie Marin, Marie Bunch of Marin, And Marie Marin, Marie Bunch of Marin, And Marie M nicutt of Marlin, A. B. Cowan, Junir, and W. D. Mayfield, Junior. This was one of the brilliant and enjoyable occasions of the undergraduate at home

GUESTS FROM KANSAS HAVE HOLIDAY GREETING

Visiting within the home of Mrs. N. H. Church for the holidays were Mrs. Docking and Miss Alice Docking from Lawrence, Kansas. As one of the special events to mark their Texas and their Waco visit, Mrs. F. L. Christ. man of North Fifth street was at home to fifty friends for an afternoon tea. The holiday greens and flowers were the decorations, quite pleasing to the guests from the northern home, where the mistletoe never grows. This took the form of a 5 o'clock tea, with Mrs. Henry Bridges pouring. Mrs. Christman, assisted by Mrs. Church, presented the honor guests. Other than these there were, as more informal hostesses, the Mesdames B. C. Garland. Charles Eichelberger, J. N. Le-mond, Alex Spencer, M. B. Davis, R. L. Armstrong, R. J. Alexander, W. H.

THE LUCKY THIRTEEN CLASS HAS CHRISTMAS PARTY

In her interesting class at the Austin It was quite the acceptable event to the young folks as well as the more mature members of the Philo club that they should afford opportunity for such a jolly farewell to the old year. The couples assembled, and in semi-informal way, made merry until Father Time set his whistles a ringing, and then it became "A Happy New Year to All!" Several visiting girls were introduced, the college girls and boys were on hand, and chaperons were in Avenue Sunday school, Mrs. of 1915 was duly celebrated with a birthday cake. The ring slice was found by Dorothy Twaddell, the thimble by Louise Perry, the dime by Sara The New Year celebration at the Lanham. Upon every slice was

letained, owing to the illness of Judge Gallagher. Thus, Mrs. Thomas Caufield became improimpromptu director The Mesdames Rose McGhee and G.
Mrs. Harry Archenhold of North
Fifteenth street had for her guest at the Progress club ball, Miss Newman from Mexia.

Mrs. Docking and Miss Docking of Lawrence, Kan., who visited Mrs. N.
H. Church, Fort avenue, are now in the Church, Fort avenue, are now in the Church of the Church, Fort avenue, are now in the Church of the Church o salad, and sweets. leading score, her trophy being a bunch of florist carnations. This proved quite a delightful courtesy from the Mesdames Reynolds and McGhee. To meet Mrs. Moylan were the Mesdames W. D. Rondthaler, Thomas Davidson, Arthur Coleman, A. A. Saunders of Fort Worth, Thomas Luckett, E. E. Hulbert of Fort Worth, W. F. Raines of Oklahoma, Clarence Hub-Allen Cross, R. J. Potts, Araminta Branson, Barrett, Charles Moore Mistrot, O. L. Stribling, Holt, Mail-

OF A. & M. DANCE

COLLEGE FRATERNITY
GIVES CHRISTMAS DANCE
Nine of the Phi Delta Thetas returned home for the Christmas vacation, and some returned in times vacation, and some returned in times vacation. Besides members of the club and The Waco club of the A. & M. col-

nants and just above the stage "Texas tary scheme was cleverly carried out with a miniature military camp erect ed upon the stage amidst a setting of stacked arms and military accounte-

The grand march was led by S. R. Stribling and Miss Revick. Music was furnished by the Parker orches-Punch was served during the

Among those present were Misses Among those present were Alisses Renick, Freund, Gibson, Foscue, Jones, Jackson, Harris, Herrick, Crawley, Wolfe, Sleeper, Board, Logan, Bess, Jablonowsky, Stribling, Nelson, Chap-el, Yates of Temple, Torrence of Galveston; Messrs. Stribling, Crown, Rack, Washam, B. M. Kendricks, J. M. Kendricks, Schimmelpfennig, Sterns, Kendricks, Schimmelpfennig, Sterns, G. R. Minier, L. B. Minier, Mason, Roberts, Ellis, Dutton, Martin, Green, O. K. Johnson, E. Johnson, Morgan, Pinksten, Wooten of Mississippi, and Woodson of Temple.

The chaperons were Mrs. R. J. Potts, H. P. Jordan, Clint Padsitt, J. H. Quarles and P. A. Weatherred,

NEW YEAR DE LUXE DINNER SERVED TO TWO HUNDRED

It was, indeed, a popular event with Waco society that the Riggins should Waco society that the Riggins should announce a de luxe supper for a new year watch. By actual count one hundred eighty-four were served in the main dining room, there being many small parties within the one mammoth new year gathering. In addition, quite a number took their supper a la carte in the grill room. Thus, more than two hundred were assembled as rte in the grill room. Thus, more in two hundred were assembled as

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ock in Waco at these re	eductions:	
oys' \$2.50 Over- ats, Half Price \$1.	25 Boys' \$7.50 Over- coats, Half Price	\$3.7
oys' \$3.50 Over- \$1.	75 Boys' \$10 Over- coats, Half Price	\$5.0
oys' \$5.00 Over- \$2.	Boys' \$15 Over- coats, Half Price	\$7.5

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All Boys' \$6.00 \$3.88 Suits, reduced to \$6.58 The most stupendous sacrifice of Willer Merchandise ever conducted in Waco. Every day a big Bargain Day!

HE GOLDSTEIN-MIGEL "WACO'S GREATEST DEPARTMENT STORE"

salad, and sweets. Mrs. Edgar Witt and Mrs. Allan Sanford poured. The club members were well represented. rich poinsettia for this season was

Misses Crawford and Ross Padgitt, with Mr. and Mrs. James | ter. Bass. Franklin Lindsey extended dinner

Burton Rhodes of Joplin, Missouri. At another table by special invita-tion were Mrs. J. A. Allison, the Misses Norma Bonner, Mary Allison, Virginia Paul and Georgia Streeter, E. B. Baker, Walton Taylor, Stayton Bonner, John Adkinson and Langdon

The full dress uniform worn by the members gave a military aspect to the dance.

C. B. McCollum had for his guests of the Mrs. Loretta Reeves with Mr. and Mrs. Loretta Reeves with Mr. and members gave a military aspect to the dance.

C. B. McCollum had for his guests of the Mrs. and Mrs. Loretta Reeves with Mr. and mrs. so does their not being removed show neglect within that same home.

With Mr. and Mrs. Edward Bolton We noticed a little dog running

the beThe walls were covered with penbeThe walls were walls were wall was a second to the wall was a second to t A. M. C." was woven in large letters with red and white tinsel. The mili-

A Morrisonian Message And Seasonable Suggestions.

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line Moseley with the Messrs. Ker- the rule which came into vogue when

Society Notes

What a good time we will have dur-ing these January days in reading our holiday literature gifts!

All the women must spare a half

league in their quilting bees. Let those two large January parties

Mrs. Rives Posten Halsey is with Those who heard "Peg o' My Heart" green of Easter.

We notice the mothers are taking more personal interest in the Y. M. you belong? It is your duty to be C. A.; that is as it should be. What-prompt, to hear all that transpires:

auedde.
C. B. McCollum had for his guests them betrays a cheery home within,

nepeful. Animals are nore respect since the Humane soci-

are promoting home industry; certain-ly the women, the buyers for the home, Shakspere is correct when he sa Now be very, very careful, that you

icknowledge every holiday remem-Always show your appreciation for the kindly thought. comes again, how about the woman who forgot to inclose her card? Mrs. John D. Mayfield in her new

ome, the former Silvers place, North ear hostesses. However, the exact time for change in residence with the Mayfield household is not yet named. Women readers of the Morning is one beautiful park drive. News are reminded that social engagements are now coming back to this observance; they will invite into normal; hence, the request again that daily calendar be kept complete! and accurate. This applies to private s well as to club hostesses.

The social scribe has simply failed gone holiday season.

etiquette never says. 'Is my hat an obstruction?" She rather takes off her hat as soon as she is seated. However, the very small hats, scarce larger than the head itself, may modify

we were wearing those enormities head adornment.

Miss Alzada Knickerbocker, who is now visiting in the city, reports a very cordial reception for her parents, the Dr. and Mrs. H. D. Knickerbocker, in Temple. They are pleasantly located. So, buy from the Sanitary Market. We sell for cash only. Buy on the cash plan for one month; you will be surprised how much you have saved. Get our prices.

Do you ever think how colors reflect the season? We bow in homage to hurry up. We are eager for the sight into another private hostess' home. the crimson and the white for new year. Then, it is rose pink for Saint Mrs. Rives Posten Halsey is with Mrs. J W. Orand, Fifteenth and Columbus, for the remainder of this winviolet of Lent, and the white and

Franklin Lindsey extended dinner courtesy to Mrs. Roy Burnett of San Antonio with Mr. and Mrs. Thomas having met "Peg." just Peg.

Antonio with Mr. and Mrs. Thomas having met "Peg." just Peg. prompt at all your club sessions, and this means every organization to which ever improves the mother's boy should also, it is your duty to your neighbor find the mother's helping hand. for she may be prompt and have ur-Remember, those holly wreaths must gent call just as prompt for dismissal. taken down today. As hanging But, your selfish self, retards the movement. We have not honored any debu-

tantes this season, still it is nice to sions, meetting here today, talk about them. One of the recent Dr. Frank P. Hill, libra We noticed a little dog running talk about them. One of the recent around the other day wearing his table centers which did honor a debuhome-made blanket. The signs are tante found a pretty girl of fashion, a commanding doll, to be sure, peering above the flumane soci- floral mound in the center of the ta-The idea, doubtless, was a modible. Read every advertisement and note lication of the table where the bride the "made-in-Waco" goods. Let this and groom in miniature have so long the a new year resolution. The men sat. This same debutante has rested Shakspere is correct when he says

there is some soul of goodness in things evil. We are speaking about that ramshackle old front fence again That is the thing evil; the soul of goodness lies in the fact that, it will disappear when it means to go down into the pocket book for a new one. If one has any doubts concerning the effect in civic beauty of taking down that fence, let her look along the park driveway out North Fifth street. Two years ago with the irregular height and the irregular material, the shut-in which lead poisoning in principle. that fence, let her look along the park driveway out North Fifth street. Two Today, it lawns, this was the Waco hostesses are too derelict in

their homes for a general reception dence women upon whom they have never called. This should not be done. It places the one invited in an embarrassing position. The proper thing, if n her effort to keep abreast of the the call has been neglected, is for the ing plant. many holiday happenings; however, hostess to pay that call before she these have been rather the heart and invites the guest. If, from absence home gatherings. Other than the club from the city, prolonged illness, or and fraternity balls, there have been other reasonable excuse, the hostess few large affairs to mark the now in prospect has been prevented the call, she should inclose note of apology The woman of up-to-date theatre with her invitation, and request the

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How would it do for one of your Newspapers May Be Barred From Reading Rooms in Libraries

Chicago, Jan. 1 .- Newspapers are so accessible to all that they are not essential to libraries, according to the opinion of members of league of library commis-

Dr. Frank P. Hill, librarian of the Brooklyn public library, suggested the cost to the public for newspapers was so low that to maintain a free reading room of daily papers would be a burden to the library and not of sufficient benefit to the patrons. the patrons. Action may be taken next June looking toward the discontinuance of current newspapers in libraries, it was said.

Woman Printer Wins Her 'Poisoning' Suit

Chicago, Jan. 1 .- Miss Mary printer who alleged she cont

has been proven. Miss Sheets testified that are years as a type distributor in the vester company's pri

More than fifty p of them saying the poisoning resulting

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CHILDREN'S TASTES CHANGING.

Old-time games, such as prisoner's base, leapfrog, blindman's buff, bull in the ring, hare and hound, duck on the rock, are no longer favorites on the school grounds of today, at least with boys, in Springfield, Ill., according to an investigation just completed by Lee F. Hanmer and Clarence A. Perry of the Russell Sage Foundation. Less than oneteath of 1 per cent or about one boy in a busand in Springfield, mentioned any of dese games. The only activities reported by over 20 per cent of the boys were baseball, motion-picture shows, reading, and kite fly-

Motion-picture shows were equally popular with the girls, according to the report. The girls also indulged in jumping the rope, roller skating and hide and seek. Standard games like "I spy," London Bridge, fox and geese,

the high school students attend the movies. Of the boys, 86 per cent, and of the girls 84 per cent, attend the theatre. The boys who attend average about once a week, and the girls go almost as frequently. The majority of the visits to the theatre are not made, in the case of either sex, with any other member of the family. Social dancing is indulged in by 40 per cent of the boys and 48 per cent of the girls. A large number of the dances they attend are held in hotels. In 61 per cent of the boys' homes, and in 48 of the girls' homes parties for young people are not held.

The report gives a detailed recreational program. Among other things it advocates the establishment of a department of physical training and play (a recommendation which is now being carried out), the purchase of a public school athletic field, co-operation between the board of education and the park board in the utilization of park playgrounds, and a system of school social centers to be carried on under the direction of the superintendent of schools and principals and partially maintained by parent-teacher associations.

Other recommendations touching the school system are: School grounds to be open for play from the closing of the school to 5:30 or 6 p. m. and on Saturdays, with paid teachers or others equipped for such work in charge; playgrounds to be kept open and supervised during the summer; competent persons to be assigned to athletic fields after school hours and on Saturdays, also at stated hours in summer; school buildings to be constructed and equipped to serve as centers of civic, social and recreational activities.

Let us not forget that the original states of the American union at one time exercised the right to coin money, to collect import duties, to regulate immigration, to forbid exports to other states, etc. All these and other rights they yielded to the federal government without losing their liberties.

Chicago is to have a court without lawyers, where litigants will plead their own cases. First thing we know somebody will be staging "Hamlet," with the melancholy Dane left out farmer is going to do this in the future. The to adhere to this policy. of the cast.

We trust that it will not be a violation of neutrality for us to suggest to England that she instruct her fleet to pay more attention to German submarines and less to American merchant ships.

Coaretary Garrison talks like a business knows the rules of business, one of Be ready for a rush.

AN ECHO OF COLQUITT'S EXPLOSION. PROHIBITION DEBATE IN CONGRESS.

We never realized until we read a copy of the Chicago Tribune of Monday, December 28, how true it is that one must go away from home to learn the news. The Tribune is a alert to magnify any happening which reflects in any degree upon the popularity of the democratic administration.

of this statement refers to Governor Colquitt's pronunciamento, and adds:

"Members of the Texas delegation, all demninety days."

We may be mistaken in the belief that a majority of the democrats of Texas do not in- from the evil." dorse the extravagant views of Governor Colquitt, but we are not mistaken when we say that somebody has been lying to the Washington correspondent of the Tribune, or else that correspondent has been guilty of evolving his news out of his inner consciousness.

Soup houses in all the cities in Texas and bread riots imminent!

Say, Governor; won't you stop your pursuit people, not in any subdivision of them." of the Wilson administration long enough to mental liar he is?

TEXAS AND OTHER STATES.

fair, illogical and irrational. Every business constitution. We reproduce a portion of this man knows its strict enforcement would wreck business concerns from one end of the state to the other. It is one of the laws which can not be enforced because they are ill-con- ment to the states analogous to the denial of sidered and destructive."

We hasten to say that the foregoing blistering comment on tax laws does not refer to the laws of Texas. It was spoken by a Chicago for its own peaceable amendment would be business man about the tax laws of Illinois.

for the sole purpose of showing that com- approval and prayers of a multitude of peoplaint of injustice and unfairness of laws re- ple. . . . Should congress in such case refuse lating to properfy and investments is not con- to submit the proposal to the states, such refined to Texas and a few Southern and West-

Texas tax laws are far from perfect, but they are not confiscatory. Our laws relating the extirpation of the traffic in alcoholic poito business and the security of investments son made and sold to be used as a beverage

laws of Illinois, the home of many millionaires features from the national arena to that of and the financial and industrial center of the the several states until the fate of the proposmiddle west.

hardly be fit to print.

we make them the best and fairest in the curse of of the world would be summoned to world, but let us remember that they are al- the block of national justice and die by the ready better than the laws of many older hand of the only power which can wield an states whose citizens sometimes speak dis- axe big and sharp enough to cut off its hydra paragingly of our state and its policies.

AN OBJECT LESSON.

"Object lessons should be lasting lessons. Kansas presents one. Kansas farmers sold products this year to the amount of \$376,000,-

hot winds come they turn their growing crops into silage for winter feed.

Kansas poultry brought \$16,000,000, Kanhay crops \$19,000,000, livestock for slaughter \$69,000,000.

'It is said the value of Kansas livestock on the farms is estimated at \$262,000,000.

Why shouldn't they supply their own tables the amendment to the people of the several and fill their own smokehouses and corn states. We repeat our advice, every person

natural resources. It should be the richest of Congressional Record of December 22. all American states."-Fort Worth Record.

The Kansans are a thrifty lot, also they and buying automobiles.

sas farmer. He lives at home. The Texas of the Philippines the easier it will be for us war has taught him a lesson that will not be forgotten soon.

A dollar may not go as far as it used to, but it goes a whole lot faster.

with torpedoed battleships.

Of course, it is vexing-but don't swear when you write it 1914.

We strongly advise everyone who is interested in the prohibition question, antis as well as pros, to obtain through their senator or congressman a copy of the Congressional Record of Tuesday, December 22, which conpartisan republican newspaper and its Wash- tains a report of the debate on the Hobson ington correspondents are constantly on the resolution. All of the old familiar arguments for and against prohibition, together with many new ones, are to be found in the speeches delivered in congress on that day.

Many eminent authorities on both sides of In its issue of December 28 the Tribune the question are quoted, and it is doubtful if published a dispatch from its staff corre-ever before a public document contained so spondent at the capital in which the statement much information on the subject of prohibiis made that President Wilson is facing a tion. For instance, one of the speakers read party revolt in the solid South and for proof into the record this famous utterance of Emperor William, made in the course of an address to the naval students in 1910:

"In the course of my reign of twenty-two ocrats, said today that the governor's opin- years, of the great number of crimes which ions represent pretty accurately the sentiment have been appealed to me for decision nineprevailing in that state. . . . Texas members tenths were due to alcohol. The idea forsay the governor has not exaggerated the merly prevailing that it was a smart thing complaints against the administration in that for a youth to 'carry' a great quantity of alcostate. They say that for the first time in hol is not fit for our times. . . . Victory will the history of the state soup houses have been be with the nation that uses the smallest opened for the destitute in all the larger amount of alcohol. . . . If you train the troops cities. One representative expressed the fear to renounce alcohol I shall have sound and that there will be bread riots in Texas within sane subjects. I know very well that pleasure in drinking is an old heritage of the Germans, but we must by self-discipline free ourselves

On the subject of the people's right to amend the federal constitution we find this quotation from the great John Marshall "The people made the constitution and the people can unmake it. It is the creation of their will and lives by their own will; but this supreme and irresistible power to make and unmake resides only in the body of the

And there is an interesting report of the tell somebody at Washington what a monu- senate committee on education and labor, made in 1888-a committee composed of some of the ablest lawyers ever in the United States senate. They did not argue for prohibition, but contended that congress should give the "The tax law is the worst in the world, I people the right to vote on the subject of believe. The law is confiscatory. It is un- whether or not they desired to amend their

'The majority of the committee would deem a refusal to submit the proposed amendthe right of a party to be heard in court upon a question of private right.

"The method provided in the constitution destroyed by the failure to submit the propo-We quote this comment on the Illinois law sition for amendment in cases involving the

> fusal would constitute a substantial denial of the right of petition itself.

"The agitation for national legislation for might be improved, but their enforcement will never cease to disturb and finally destroy to the Pioneer Press correspondent by will not wreck any legitimate business or great political parties until they submit the Cato Sells, United States commissioner the bottom of the list, indicating that they are played by comparatively few girls.

An inquiry into the amusements of the highsehool students showed that practically all of the high school students showed that practically all of the proposed is true they are not one-half as bad as the light school students at the high school students a is true they are not one-half as bad as the states the subject will pass in its important nesota. ed amendment is decided. When decided, if Ask a New York business man what he adversely to the ratification, the subject will thinks of the laws of that state relating to be eliminated from national politics, at least taxes and investments and what he says will for many years. If, on the other hand, the proposed amendment should be ratified and Let us go ahead improving our laws until become part of the national law, the chief head. Then we should have peace. In any case, a hearing at court is a sacred right rected that the quarterly payment of \$250,000 due the Osages be suspended in a matter of so great national concern."

There is this comment by Representative Kelly of Pennsylvania on the right of congress to limit the action of the people:

"Does any one contend that this congress 000. Kansas grows wheat, corn, oats and is greater than the people? Why, then, contend that this body may justly deny to the Kansas farmers own silos, and when the creator the right to use and exercise its power? It is ridiculous to maintain that congress may say to the people of the nation, 'Thus far shalt thou go and no further,' and yet that is exactly what it does say if it refuses to submit this amendment to the people for approval or rejection.'

There is much more to the same effect, and Why shouldn't Texas farmers diversify? an equal volume of appeal against submitting interested in the prohibition question should "Texas has the climate, the soil and all the procure, read and file away for reference the

Dean C. Worcester, formerly secretary of have "struck it rich" this year. Kansas raises the interior for the Philippines, says we wheat and corn and the European war sent | should retain the islands for purposes of naval prices of these cereals soaring. To add to strategy in the event of war with foreign natheir good fortune they made the biggest tions. If the United States is to enter upon crops in history. With this combination of a career of militarism and navalism, Mr. Worbig crops and high prices prosperity became cester is correct. We should fortify the Phil- that during the ten-year period from inevitable. If the price of cotton had in- ippines and prepare there a base from which creased at the same ratio as the price of wheat to attack and subjugate Japan, China and southern farmers would be paying their debts | the rest of the Orient. But if we are to remain | a continental nation and refrain from engag-But we have much to learn from the Kan- ing in offensive wars the quicker we get rid

> Governor Colquitt is not the first politician who has mistaken the cackle of the geese for the murmur of the world.

We have seen no report from New York of Davy Jones' locker must be rather crowded any celebration over getting Harry Thaw as a Christmas present.

> Apropos the note to Great Britain, grape juice ferments sometimes, you know.

WACO "A CITY WITH A SOUL"

A Greeting From a Former Resident for the New Year.

I sing no song of cities that are past, The brood begot of Cain, to Babel kin, With violence engorged. Not mine the task To celebrate the pride, the wealth, the sin, Of Tyre, Damaseus, Athens, Rome. I win No place by giving voice to Sodom's cry. Forgotten be both Lust and Pride, thy twin Depravities, O, Cities! Wept o'er by The Savior, swept o'er by disaster-die!

I praise not wealth nor power, marts nor mills. Rich courts, gay fetes, nor stately temples tall, Sweet pleasant avenues of shade, fair hills (Mere trappings these, unworthy to enthrall; Accompaniments of every city's fall). I love a virgin city "with a soul" Responsive to an altruistic call. Among her fond admirers I'd enroll And urge a "Greater" Waco to her goal.

Oh! Waco, set in Brazos valley green, An armlet prized of God; who knows what place Thou yet mayest fill; what destiny unseen It may become thy favored lot to grace?

Behold! a city, credit to the race, Her fame secure, her noble works humane; A Bund of Brothers in a strong embrace; Her rulers just; her sons of learning sane; Her care true merit safely to retain.

In her no soul ashamed to be less learn'd Less wealthy or less skilled, but to be more: Promotion prompt, by honest effort earned, And all made cognizant of virtue's lore: No sloth in her, no toil, veneered o'er: No drunkard mill, vampire of civic wealth: True wisdom, art and labor; these her store: Religion crowned and placed on guard 'gainst stealth Of foes which threaten loss of civic health.

Be this thy goal, oh! Waco, and thine end In splendor shall surpass thy sisters fair, Thy fame to distant lands and times extend And honored be by wisdom's special care. From galaxy immortal though they tear Thy name; the world with wonder will inquire, "Pray why is name so worthy wanting there?" A sheen ideal like an astral fire Shall crown thy glory, rising always higher.

-HERMAN E. MORRIS, Bynum, Texas.

No Liquor for the Indians

AT LEAST, THIS IS THE POLICY WHICH COMMISSIONER CATO SELLS IS TRYING TO CARRY OUT.

(Minneapolis Free Press.)

Minnesota is one of twenty-four states in which Indians live where the government plans to wage vigilant warfare against the liquor traffic.

He has given notice that certain sa-Whether he will attempt to close all only thing that he declares with positiveness is that it is his purpose to prevent, if possible, the sale of liquor to the Indians in the twenty-four states inhabited by Indians

Osage Action Vigorous.

The extent to which Commissioner Sells is willing to go in his warfare on the liquor traffic among the Indians is In this order Commissioner Sells dipositive assurances are given that the laws prohibiting the sale of liquor shall be strictly enforced by the chiefs of that tribe

May Discontinue Payments.

may be stated upon authority that enforcing the prohibition provision of the Chippewa treaty of 1855, Commissioner Sells will go to any proper ex-treme to accomplish his end. If necessary he will discontinue payments to the Indians of the state if he finds that they are in any way responsible for liquor finding its way into the hands of their fellows.

170 Agents in Field.

during the current fiscal year. The work is under the immediate supervi-sion of a chief special agent and twenty special agents, with 150 depu-

Sent to Leavenworth.

The general law which prohibits the fined \$5,000 and his son-in-law and manager and one "bootlegger" were sentenced to serve one year and one day in the United States penitentiary

Law Grossly Violated.

"The Osages are a great people," said "the richest per Commissioner Sells, drinking among them, even some of the women drinking to excess.

Months ago I visited the Osage reservation and was assured by the county and town officers, the merchants, and the leading Indians, that the law cohibiting the sale or giving away of quor to the Indians would be rigidly Since then I have been advised that liquor is being obtained as has been grossly violated.

Finds Unused Statute.

"Consequently, when I found a sec he United States that clothes the pecific authority to suspend payment henever he has reason to believe that ntoxicating liquor is within conven-ent reach of the Indians, I deternined to make use of it, although it and never been enforced before. I shall enforce it to the letter in this case, and in any similar cases that 170 Agents in Field.

Congress appropriated \$100,000 for the enforcement of the liquor laws until victory is won for the Indians."

34,000 Miles of Good Roads Built in 2 Years

last few years is proved by data recent-

000 miles of surfaced roads have been That this progress has zing may be understood ing the last ten years is 9,600 miles, the total completed for 1914 exceeded 18,-000 miles. The report will show that something like 30,000 miles of highway have been completed with the aid of state funds, of which over \$200,000,000 has been expended.

The state aid movement began in 1892 two years. Only recently has it gotten and has therefore continued for twentywell under way, as the results accom-plished for 1913 and 1914 comprise a total of 10,000 miles of state aid high-ways completed, or in two years' time one-third of the entire mileage conone-third of the entire mileage con-structed with the aid of state funds has

Only six states now, out of a total of Britons made a fame 48, are without state highway departments, and 30 states have granted actual portions of England.

That remarkable progress has been made in the building of good roads throughout the United States during the last few years is proved by data recently obtained by the American Highway the American Highway Association.

come of a national philosophy in Geren writers and a dozen university prosomething, at least, in that view, how gerated-what service may fessors in America do for their counworld at large, exposing the fallacies of philosophy and giving to the active an American ask for a better place for his country in the future history of this period than that it should be said: "The philosophy which played so large a part in provoking the world war of the twentieth century came mainly from the universities of Germany; but the philosophy which played the largest part in the world peace which man-kind has since enjoyed came mainly Norman Angell in the January Yale

Woad, the plant from which ancient Britons made a famous blue dye, still is cultivated for that purpose in some

INDICATIONS FROM THE WHITE HOUSE ARE THAT LITERACY TEST WILL ALSO WIN.

THE PARAMOUNT SUBJECT

When Congress Reconvenes Matter Will Be the Big Issue-Open to Amendment.

Washington, Jan. 1.-That the immigration bill pending in the senate will be passed, including the literacy test, now is assured, but strong indications came from the White House today that President Wilson will veto the measure if congress submits it to him in its present form.

President Taft vetoed a similar measure in 1913 because of the literacy test. The senate passed the bill over the veto, but in the house the motion to repass the measure failed by a few votes to get the necessary two-thirds

The immigration bill will be the paramount subject of legislation when congress reconvenes tomorrow. The test provision is still open to amend-

Whether the president is to veto the measure seems to make little differ-ence to its champions. There are many who predict the bill can be passed this time in both houses over an executive disapproval. The vote of 47 to 12 in the senate yesterday against eliminating the literacy test was generally accepted as a test vote.

Houseleaders do not anticipate much trouble in the conference on senate amendments thus far adopted, including the Reed amendment accepted yes terday to exclude persons of African blood or of the negro race.

In the house tomorrow, discussion will be resumed on the Indian appropriation bill. Conferees on the man's bill will be appointed by both

Before the senate Philippine com mittee former President Taft is scheduled to appear to discuss the bill for enlarging the measure of Philippine self-government.

Letters from the People

Girls' School Has Big Increase.

Denton, Tex., Dec. 31.
To the Waco Morning News:

I am enclosing to you, under separate cover, a copy of the biennial report of the board of reegnts of the College of

Industrial Arts. The College of Industrial Arts is the only state institution of higher educa-tion in Texas, all of whose resources are devoted exclusively to educating and training the young women of the state and to the improvement of the

homes of the people The average annual percent increase in number of students for the past two years is thirty-two and four-tenths: a more rapid growth than has characterized any other college or university in the state during the same period of time. In fact, the College of Industrial Arts is the only college or university in Texas which began the fall session of 1914 with a larger matriculation of students than the total enrollment of the preceding session. It is the largest college for young

During the eleventh year in the his tory of the A. & M. college the en-rollment was 214, and in the history ment was 630; while the College of Industrial Arts, during the eleventh year of its history, enrolled 691 stu-

The attendance at the college during the current session represents the students of any college or university in the state.

In the organization and the work of the college eighteen departments have been establishd and are maintained. The courses of study have been carefully planned, with the view to serving in the largest and most helpful way possible the interests of the young women if Texas and if the homes if the state. It is prediminanty an industrial college and seeks develop both cultural and inudustrial

I mention these things in the hope that you will be led to carefully examine the report of the regents, which

discusses briefly the work, the condi-tion and the needs of the college. The recommendations of the board of regents are modest and conserva tice, and with the proper support of the college from the legislature it will

ly great colleges of the country for the proper training of young women. Very truly yours, F. M. BRALLEY,

State Orphan Home. To the Waco Morning News:

In a recent issue you state that the superintendent of the State Orphan Home was promised the nomination by Governor-elect Ferguson grounds of efficiency regardless of the porter.

I wish to correct the statement that I was a strong Ball supporter. Mr. Ferguson was my choice for gov ernor from the day he made his first speech at Blum. I was not active in the campaign; however, he was my

Yours very truly, W. F. BARETT, (Editor's note—The original mention of Mr. Ferguson's decision to retain Mr. Barrett did not state that Mr.

Barrett was a Ball supporter and any statement to that effect was reproduced from another source.) Congratulates the News. In thinking of the different forces our city, not only politically but pre-

I feel like wishing for you the bless new year; and may the good influences continually exercised redound to your material benefit and the heart's good

Sincerely yours, WILL BOLGER, 725 Washington St

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Retirement Forced by Failing Health

Austin, Jan. 1 .- After forty-two years of continuous service with the Houston & Texas Central railroad, division superintendent at Austin since 1903, William L. Bisbee has retired on account of failing health. C. R. Morrill, assistant superintendent of the

Austin, Jan. 1 .- The customary New Year's call on the governor was made this morning by Adjutant General Hutchings and officers of the Texas National Guard in the city. Tonight the annual New Year's reception at the governor's mansion was held. There were a number of out-of-town visitors, including several members of the governor's personal staff.

If you have anything that needs repairing, don't forget to ring Dorsett. I will fix it and it will stay fixed. All phone 240; 610 Austin .- Adv.

Clothes for the New Year

If you wish to make yourself or your friend a New Year's present that will be appreciated, let me recommend a garment made from my complete stock of Suitings, Overcoatings, Vestings and Trous-

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STATE NEWS

ROBBERS BLOW SAFE PRESIDENT HORNBEAK AT AXTELL; GET \$700 SAYS FUND COMPLETE

that of experts.

The first intimation that the people here had that the safe had been blown was when J. P. Worley, who is employed as pumper for the Cotton Belt, passed the depot and observed that the safe had been blown was when J. P. Worley, who is employed as pumper for the Cotton Belt, passed the depot and observed the same that the windows were broken. A second glance showed that the safe and been blown open. He at once communicated with Deputy Sheriff W. D. Thompson, and the latter very promptly informed Sheriff S. S. Fleming at Waco. Fleming detailed Deputy Sheriff Lee Jenkins to assist Thomp-

son in making an investigation. Of the money stolen, \$693.75, in currency, belonged to A. Burton, who lives about three miles northwest of This money was sent by ex-reaching Axtell last night. It was being held to await the arrival of Mr. Burton. The yeggmen secured \$8 belonging to the Cotton Belt Railway company, but in their haste to get away they overlooked a \$5 bill, which was found among other debris n the station floor this morning. The noise made in blowing open he safe was heard by residents of

Axtell, who gave little heed to it, thinking some revelers were observing New Year's day by discharging a gun. While the people of the town slept the burglars made e get-away, but whether they left afoot or rode horseback was not determined. Sta-tion Agent W. E. Bingham for the Cotton Belt here closed the office at the usual hour last evening.

A suspicious character was here yesterday afternoon, and an effort is now being made by the officers to locate this party. The men who did the work were evidently fa-miliar with the fact that a package of money containing a large sum was

STOCK TO EMPLOYES.

Telephone Company Will Let Workers Share in Concern.

Dallas, Tex., Jan. 1.-Vice Presi-Dallas, Tex., Jan. 1.—Vice President J. E. Farnsworth of the Southwestern Telegraph and Telephone company in Dallas has received notice of the purpose of the American Telephone and Telegraph company to distribute stock of that company, as far as possible, among loyal Bell telephone employes throughout the country. The terms and conditions under mittees for New Year. try. The terms and conditions under which it is thus made possible for telephone workers to acquire an interest in the American Telephone and Telegraph company are set forth in

"The American Telephone and Telegraph company announces that arrangements have been made by which employes of the Bell system who have TIPPODROME been two years or more in the service and who so desire may purchase stock of the company for \$110 a share, on Month

easy terms of payment. "No employe can purchase more than one share for each \$300 of anwages he receives or more than ten shares, whatever his wages.

'The terms of payment will be \$2 share a month, beginning with March. 1915, and the quarterly dividends paid on the stock will go toward paying for it after deducting interest at 4 per cent per annum on the unpaid balances.

"The American company has paid 8 per cent dividends for seven years, and it is calculated that dividends at this rate and the \$2 a share a month payemploye who so desires can after March 1, 1917, but not before, pay in the balance on his stock and receive his stock certificate.

"Should an employe leave the service or die before his stock is fully paid for, the amount he has paid in, plus the accumulated dividends (less 4 per

ent) will be paid back.
"The American Telephone and Telegraph company is the parent com-pany of the Bell telephone system, which operates or connects with 8,500, 000 telephone stations, throughout the

"It has about 60,000 stockholders and 160,000 employes. Its issued capital stock is nearly \$350,000,000 and is more than \$95,000 has been spent in The company makes it plain that

a considerable number of employes will take advantage of this opportusave a little money month and invest it in the business.'

New Justice of Peace.

Belton. Tex., Jan. 1 .- The Bell county commissioners have appointed W. W. Mays of Moffat as justice of the peace for precinct No. 6 of Bell county

Robbery and Fire. Sunset Central lines at El Paso, has to fill a vacancy caused by the declination of E. R. Evetts to accept the position by election. There was no primary nominee for the position and voters wrote the name of Evetts on the ballots and elected him without prior to the blaze.
his knowledge. When this came to Wedding present his attention he declined to take the proved the official bond of G. N. Vickery, appointed justice of the peace in Salado precinct, to fill a vacancy caused by the death of J. E. Baker, the regular incumbent.

I. O. O. F. Elect Officers.

Cameron, Tex., Jan. 1.—At a meeting of the Odd Fellows the following officers were elected for the ensuing year: John E. Chandler, N. G.; Calvin Pressley, V. G.; James L. Chadwick, secretary; A. W. Taber, treasurer; W. W. Chambers, trustee; W. W. Chambers, delegate; W. M. Jester, al-

Aged Citizen Dies.

Gatesville, Tex., Jan. 1.—J. J. (Jack) Stovall, aged 77 years died at 1 o'clock today. He had been a citio'clock zen of this county since its early set-tlement. He was a Confederate vet-

eran. A widow survives him. Office Abelished. Dallas, Jan. 1.—The office of deputy United States marshal at San Angelo has been abolished, according to an-nouncement today. It was also announced that F. A. Stokes will succeed Deputy Marshal Farrish at Dal-

las, who has resigned.

Axtell, Jan. 1.—Robbers obtained \$701.75 by blowing the safe at the Cotton Belt depot early this morning. The robbery occurred about 3 a. m. and the noise of the explosion was taken by residents for a New Year's celebration. The safe door was blown almost across the room. The force of the explosion broke two windows and demolished furniture in the station room. Officers declare the work was that of experts.

Waxahachie, Tex., Jan. 1.—President Hornbeak has announced the successful completion of the endowment and better equipment of Trinity university. The campaign was begun November 1, 1913. The obligations used provided that the entire \$150,000 should be pledged before any of the pledges were valid. It also provided that this amount must be raised within the bounds of the synoder. raised within the bounds of the synod

> lege board of the Presbyterian church, U. S. A., located in New York, has made a grant of \$7500 and verbal pledges and agreements have been made by individuals in Texas to the amount of \$8495. The last named amount, while good, cannot be counted, as the premises did not meet with the as the promises did not meet with the conditions of the formal pledge.

The citizens of Waxahachie, through the Chamber of Commerce, have again shown their loyalty to the institution by pledging \$30,000 of the amount raised. While President Hornbeak and Field Secretary J. C. Smith have given their entire time to the campaign, sults could not have been achieved had it not been for the heroic work of the auxiliary endowment committees and the presbyterial field secretaries.

It will be remembered that the cam

paign inaugurated a little more than a year ago is for a total sum of \$325,-000. One hundred and fifty thousand dollars of this amount was to be raised in Texas, and \$175,000 in the north and east through the co-operation of the college board of the Presbyterian church. As the Texas part of the cam-paign has been completed, and the pledges are binding, the campaign will be continued immediately in the east through the co-operation of the col-lege board of New York to raise the

remaining \$175,000.

Trinity university had an endowment of \$30,000 at the beginning of the campaign. The institution has a campus of thirty-three acres and buildings valued at \$200,000. The in-stitution for the last two years has had an enrollment of approximately 400 students, and has a faculty of twenty-five members. It is ranked as a "first class college" by the state a "first class college by the call as a department of education, and as a "class A" college by the college board to was

Hillsboro Live-Wires Appoint Com-mittees for New Year. Hills boro, Jan. 1.—At the first meeting of the new board of directors of the Young Men's Business league since their election two weeks ago, they last night appointed the chairmen of the standing committees of the organiza-tion to serve throughout the new year. committee chairmen, who select their committee members at a meeting to be held January 8, are as

Finance-Chas. F. Graham, Membership-W. M. Lovell. Markets-D, F. Battaile, Agricultural—John O. Turner. Press—L. J. Thompson. Organization-W. C. Dunlap

Civic Improvements-Dr. J. E. Boyd Entertainment—R. B. Leatherwood. Trade Extension—J. W. Martin. The directors, because of the bad indition of the county roads at this time, decided not to invite the Perry G. Holden lecturers to visit this county and talk upon farm topics.

The work for the ensuing year, which has for its object the giving of assistance to the farmers of the county, was outlined at the session last night, and it was decided to appoint an advisory board of six farmers and six business men to assist in carrying out the various projects as they may come up.

HILLSBORO IMPROVEMENTS.

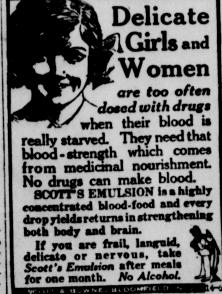
Hillsboro, Jan. 1.-In a general resume of the good things which have taken place during the last year which tend to make Hillsboro a better and more prosperous place in which to live, the fact is shown that a total of street paving and half this sum more will be spent on work under contract. In addition, the water rate has been no employe is under any obligation to buy any stock, but it is believed that thousand gallons, and the ready-fory any stock, but it is believed that thousand gallons, and the ready-for-considerable number of employes service fee of 75 cents heretofore charged for meter users has been every abolished. Throughout the year the Young

Men's Business league has been stead ily trying to bring farmers of Hill county and business men in Hillsboro into closer touch, and today they are

Robbery and Fire.

Dallas, Jan, 1 .- Officers are working on clues which indicate that the house of E. A. Huguley, totally destroyed by this morning, was robbed

Wedding presents of great value, presented to Mr. and Mrs. Huguley at their marriage are missing, and no trace of them can be found in the fire. The home was a total loss, estimated



sonic watchnight service, and the latter was spending the night at the home the new headquarters at Austin. of relatives.

Dallas Homicide Record.

Dallas, Jan. 1.-Fifty-six homicides the year 1914. Of this number fortyeight were in the city of Dallas. four cases the slayers killed themselves.

Death at Dallas.

Dallas, Jan. 1.—Death claimed pioneer resident of Dallas when Mrs Margaret Linskie, aged 64 years, died early Friday morning at the home her daughter, Mrs. A. L. Nuedeck, 1924 Park avenue. The funeral will be held Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock from St. Patrick's church. Rev. Father Donhue will conduct the services. Interment will be in the Oakland cemetery Death came to Mrs. Linskie following More Than \$95,000 for Street Paving an illness of several months and was not unexpected.

Masonic Lodge Organized.

Mt. Pleasant, Tex., Jan. 1.-A Ma sonic lodge has been organized at Cookville, this county, with a good membership and many applications Masons from surrounding assisted in working A splendid public banquet was lodge. served to some 200 guests Wednesday night to mark the opening of the

Two Fires at Hillsboro. Hillsboro, Jan. 1.—Fire, the origin of which is not known, destroyed two resi-dences on East Elm street and within a

short distance of each other, the fires occurring about two hours apart. The home of J. R. Nutty, agent for the Magnolia Petroleum company here, first was ignited about 12:30 o'clock. Mr. Nutty was the only member of the family at home and he escaped from the building in his street clothing.

Two hours later Mrs. Leila Armstrong and the members of her family were awakened by falling sparks from the ceiling. They havely escaped from the They barely escaped from the burning building with their lives.

The loss in each case is estim The loss in each case is estimated to be about \$3000, partly covered by in-

Will Start Survey.

Temple, Jan. 1.—Bell county will soon witness the starting of work on a complete county soil survey to be made by the bureau of soils of the United States agricultural department. William T. Carter Jr. and H. G. Lewis, attaches of the department, have been detailed to the work and the former has arrived and established headquarters preparatory to beginning operations within the tory to beginning operations within the next few days. It is estimated that it will require nearly a year to finish the

Temple Man Paroled. Temple, Jan. 1.—Considerable surprise was created here today by the receipt of a private telegram announcing that Monroe McKelvey of this city, now serving a life sentence in the Huntsville penitentiary, had become the object of executive elements and would be released on parclemency and would be released on par-ole at once. McKelvie was convicted in the district court at Belton over two years ago of the murder in this city of W. T. Howard, a well-known barber. It was not generally known that a move-ment was on foot to secure liberty for

the convicted man. Haskell Smith Gets Place. Belton, Jan. 1.—A desirable place under the incoming state administration at Austin will be filled by Haskell Smith of this city, who is another Bell county man did not include his portion of the taxes in the city of Newcastle, flynn of Pueblin city, who is another Bell county man did not include his portion of the taxes in ten rounds.

at \$3500. Insurance to the amount of \$2100 was carried on the home and furniture.

Mr. and Mrs. Huguley were both away from home at the time of the fire. The former was attending Marsonic watchnight service, and the lates of the service, and the lates of the service and the la has moved his family from this city to

\$3.50 Boys' Suits \$1.00

One lot of Boys' Good School Suits, broken sizes,

made strong, seams reinforced with tape, in gray,

brown and striped Worsted. Sizes 4, 5, 6, 7, 15, 16, 17 years. Values to \$3.50. Price... \$1.00

1-3 Off on All Men's Pants

A complete range of sizes in Men's Odd Pants, extra

well tailored, medium, half and full peg tops, in gray,

brown and pen stripe Worsteds. Ranging in price

\$4.00, \$4.50, \$5.00 and \$6.00, at ONE-THIRD OFF.

Regular Model Rifles Used.

College Station, Jan. L.—Cadets at the A. & M. College will use the same model rifles in drilling as are used by the United States regulars. A shipment of 1000 of the 1903 model rifle and 15,000 rounds of ammunition arrived at the last day of the year in which to

College today.

These guns will be used by the cadets instead of the 1898 model which has been used for the past few years.

The issuance of the new guns will increase the efficiency and rating of the corps. Military inspectors have given A. M. rank as one of the five distinguished military colleges of the nation, but have commented on the use of the old model gun. The new guns are chorter. lighter and have many improvements over the old model. The guns will be is

New Charter Movement.

Marlin, Jan. 1.—The joint committee of citizens and city council which was held Wednesday, has tentatively agreed upon certain recommendations to the city council in the matter of amendments to the present city charter. These rec-ommendations will be laid before the

Ex-Confederate Dies. Bremond, Jan. L.—Burk Combs, 76 years old, an ex-Confederate soldier and the oldest citizen of Bremond, in many

ways a very conspicuous character, passed away at 2:25 o'clock this morning Surviving him are his widow, five sons

Temple Dwelling Burns.

Temple, Jan. 1.—A dwelling of five rooms, occupied by R. T. Bristow, on West avenue H near the waterworks plant, was completely destroyed by an early-morning fire of doubtful origin today, the building being licked up by the flames and a large portion of the household effects consumed. The building was the property of E. F. Skerritt of Brownwood and represents a loss of \$1200, partially insured. The loss to household goods will be in excess of \$1000. Impassable condition of streets and long distance from the station prevented the fire department from rendering effective service.

New Year's reception by Governor and Mrs. Colquitt will be held tonight at the executive mansion. Many out-of-town visitors are expected for this annual event. The mansion has been beautifully decorated for the occasion.

Bell Assumes Charge.

Galveston, Tex., Jan. 1.—Brig. Gen. George Bell Jr. arrived here today and will assume command of the Fifth brigade, in camp at Fort Crockett, relieving Colonel Millard, F. Waltz of the Nineteenth infantry, who has been in command of the brigade for several months. There will be no formalities

To Recommend Loans. Temple, Jan. 1.—Messrs. P. L. Downs. R. Wade and C. A. Hughes, all Temple

dering effective service.

bankers, have been appointed a sub-committee for Bell county to receive and recommend loans to farmers in the county from the 150 million dollar cotton loan fund now ready for distribution. It is not anticipated that much demand will be made upon the fund in this county, owing to the fact that the twenty-bale owing to the fact that the twenty-base minimum feature keeps the small farmer out, as he rarely has that much surplus cotton; on the other hand the better-fixed farmer can obtain financial accommodations without pledging his cotton as

Six New Shacks.
Austin, Jan. 1.—Six additional wooden shacks are to be erected on the campus on the University of Texas, the aggregate cost to be \$30,000. Permits for the erection of the buildings have just been issued by the city.

Houston's Richest Man. Houston, Tex., Jan. 1.—Jesse H. Jones, Houston's largest individual taxpayer, sent his check for \$56,824.05 to City Tax Collector T. W. Browne

ested will amount to approximately \$25,000. Among these are the Union the National Bank of National bank,

Where a Dollar Does its Duty.

Commerce and the Bankers' e 1903 model rifle and 15,000 of property owners who waited until ammunition arrived at the the last day of the year in which to

morning at 3.30. His wife identified the remains later. The man was waiking home from down town, where he had pawned some tools for \$5 with buy New Year's dinner for his family today.

Burglary in Dallas.

Dallas, Tex., Jan. 1.-Report was made to the detective office yesterday that the home of F. J. Spiva, 612 Park View, in Mount Auburn addi-tion, ha dbeen completely ransacked council at its regular meeting next week. by burglars. Mr. Spiva and family are at Waco on a visit to relatives. A brother-in-law discovered the robbery anl reported it to the authorities. is not known how much, if anything, was stelen from the house.

Governor's Reception.

Austin, Tex., Jan. 1.-The annual New Year's reception by Governor and Mrs. Colquitt will be held tonight

the Nineteenth infantry, who has been in command of the brigade for several months. There will be no formalities incident to the transfer of command.

Man Instantly Killed. Houston, Jan. 1.-Walter Trechel, 20 years old, was struck and instantly killed Friday morning by a G., H. & H. freight train at the Harrisburg Station. The young man was trying to board the loco-

motive and missed his footing. After New Court. Houston, Jan. 1.—Houston attorneys are determined to land a new court of civil appeals for this city. At a meeting

of the Bar Association today steps were taken towar I securing the appellate court when resolutions were adopted and a committee appointed to lay the matter before the legislature.

Opposes Increased Rates. Topeka, Kan., Jan. 1.-Kansas will join Oklahoma and other states in opposing the increased freight rates on grain ordered by the western rail-roads and suspended by the interstate commerce commission until March 31, it was announced by the Kansas board

of public utilities. Ross Outfights Flynn.

Rochester, N. Y., Jan. 1.—Tony Ross of Newcastle, Pa., outfought Jim Flynn of Pueblo, Colo., this afternoon

Schulenberg Fa Commits

Schulenberg, Tex., Jan. adle, 55 years old, one prominent farmers in thi committed suicide last night of his wife two days past and the se.

illness with typhoid fever of his two-sons, who are not expected to live, is assigned as the cause of the act. Statement from Farmers' Union.

Fort Worth, Jan. 1.—The following statement, signed by W. D. Lewis, president of the Farmers' Educational and t T. Co-Operative Union of Texas, and by and Peter Radford, national lecturer of the offin Farmers' Educational and Co-Operative His Union of America, was given out yes-

Union of America, was given out yes-terday from the headquarters of the Farmers Union in this city.

"The Farmers Union holds a state-convention in Fort Worth on February 2, and the organization stands ready at that time to enter into a contract with the bankers and business men, any con-cern or individual, for warehouses and cern or individual, for warehouses and sufficient money to take care of the 191

and future cotton crops.
"The complete failure of the \$135,000,-"The complete failure of the \$135,000,-000 loan, which has been widely heraided to the public as a relief for the difficulties of the cotton farmers; the small relief granted through the buy-a-bale relief granted through the buy-a-bale movement, the incapacity of our legisla-tive machinery to cope with the situa-tion and the complete collapse of every effort put forth by government and the business interests to help the farmer, bring the sound-thinking people of Texas face to face with the urgent necessity.

for concerted action in solving our mar-keting problems.
"While the war is, in a measure, an emergency factor, its elimination in no way diminishes the necessity for storage facilities and cheap money to properly

facilities and cheap money to properly market the crop.

"As the authorized representatives of the men who produce and own the cotton, we invite men with money, in Texas and out, to finance the crop on the plans of the Farmers' Union, which organization is the pioneer in cotton-holding movements. We want to talk to men with money—not men with wild cat schemes for raising money on our own property. We want to deal with men who represent capital willing to build warehouses on assurance of reasonable warehouses on assurance of reason compensation on the investment and are able to finance the crop when stored, by lending money at a re-ble rate of interest on cotton. We the cotton and we want to de "It is time to stop piddlin subject and get down to have invite men capable of domaddress themselves to the task the farmers of Texas and solve this monumental p are to take care of the is the time to begin."

pairing, don't forget to ring Dorset I will fix it and it will stay fixed. A work called for and delivered. New phone 240; 610 Austin.—Adv.

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SCIENTISTS WANT PICKED TEAM FALLS TO EXAMINE BRAINS VICTIM TO REGULARS

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION WILL IN SPITE OF GALLANT DEFENSE MAKE EFFORTS TO PUT PLAN

THEORY OF AIR CURRENT GAME BEST OF THIS SEASON

Advocacy Among Some That Disease Germs Are Carried in That Way Disputed.

Philadelphia, Jan. 1.-Efforts to induce eminent scientists, captains of industry and political leaders to permit their brains to be examined after death will be made by members of the American Association for the Ad-vancement of Science. This announce-

Dr. Andrew Pickering, Harvard; Dr. Harry Skinner, Academy of Natural Science, Philadelphia, and Dr. L. O. Howard, Washington, announced they contemplate bequeathing their brains to the cause of scientific investiga-

"Science has had the opportunity to study the brains of plenty of mur-derers," Dr. Howard declared, "but it not often that a brain of a man pared with those of criminals or men of lower mentality." The theory that air currents carry

disease germs was disputed by Dr. A. C. Abbott of the University of Penn-"Bacteria quickly descend to surfaces and cling to them and ventila-tion or no ventilation plays no part

in their spread," he said.

E. P. Morris of Yale was elected president of the American Philological association at today's session.

Springtime Weather Adds Life to First

New Year's was observed quietly Thousands of persons took advantage of the fine weather yesterday and last night to get out of doors. In spite of the fact that the business

tage of the fine weather yesterday and last night to get out of doors. In spite of the fact that the business houses were closed, the streets were as crowded as on a busy day.

The picture shows were packed all the afternoon. At 6 o'clock they empadd hordes of people onto the side practically blockading the basket shooting. In the big game there were fed individual stars. Wohlberg of the Y team handled the ball rapidly, but his shooting was not as good as he has done. He uses the dodge to advantage. While both teams were playing the ball in the first half, there was little necessity for a defense by the regulars, as they had possession of the ball almost all during the period. In the second half the y. M. C. A. used the long pass to advantage. Coming unexpectedly, as it did, coupled with a strong man-formanded the practically blockading the ball almost all during the period. In the second half the y. M. C. A. used the long pass to advantage. Coming unexpectedly, as it did, coupled with a strong man-formanded the ball almost all during the period. In the second half the y. M. C. A. use

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Keen Interest in Hard-Fought Contest Demonstrated that Basketball Is Understood and Liked.

Y. M. C. A. HIGH GYM. CLASS

UNABLE TO HOLD RIVALS.

In spite of a gallant defense, the picked team from the Y. M. C. A. high school gym class last night went down to a 30 to 19 defeat before the high school regulars at the Y. M. C. A.

Pitted against the machine-like play ment was made today at the closing session of the sixty-sixth annual convention of the association.

Three members of the association, opponents and three the machine-like play of the regulars, the picked bunch sprung a surprise by shifting their style of play in the second half, outplayed their opponents and three the Hi busch on opponents and three the Hi busch on opponents and threw the Hi bunch on the defensive for a part of the period. The high school bunch was pitiless

in the regularity and accuracy of its play in the first half, chalking up a score of 18 to 4. Their play became mechani-

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The switch of tactics is responsible for the excellent showing of the Y team.

Taking the other five off their guard, as they had planned, they gave a demonstrated last night by the crowd of sp

High School-Wiebusch and Megarrity, forwards; W. Knebel (Capt.), center; Hill

Battleship Causes Grief

London, Jan. 1 .- The destruction of | the official report from Berlin says !

FIRST OF THE YEAR .

SIXTEEN PERSONS

with the restaurants served special noon and in the evening and Owen, guards, which is stockton entertains.

It jan, 1.—Miss Lorena Stockton is the first of the first of the first of the first of the seday night in honor of Percy Smith of Temple. The hone was decorated for the occasion with autumn leaves, mistle-toe and cut flowers. Enjoying the occa
Two and the evening forwards; W. Knebel (Capt.), center; Hill and Owen, guards.

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Livestock.

London, Jan. 1.—The destruction of the British battleship Formidable in the English channel today by a mine or a submarine boat, although one of those events Englishmen now realize must be expected so long as the British navy is compelled to keep the seas, has caused widespread grief.

This is due not so much to the loss of the ship, which was fifteen years old and coat about \$5.000.000. as it is Fort Worth, Jan. 1.-Cattle: Receipts 1150, including 150 calves; market steady. Beeves \$6.25@7.50, stockers \$5.50@7.25, heifers \$5.07.00, cows \$3.75@5.75, bulls \$4 @5.75, calves \$4.50@8.00. Hog receipts 1000; market strong; bulk of sales \$7.20@7.35, heavy \$7.40@7.45, mixed \$7.20@7.35, light \$7@7.20, plgs \$5.50

of the ship, which was fifteen years old and cost about \$5,000,000, as it is for the men—about 600 in number—who went down with her. So far as known only 141 of the Formidable's crew of 750 were rescued.

The British admiralty has not given the locality where the disaster oc-

are reported to have found it impossible to get across the Ezura and Rawka rivers and have been equally unsuccessful in advancing along the News from the front was dwarfed oday by this latest loss to the British avy, although battles of considerable roportions are taking place along the ground by frost makes the movements. ons are taking place along the ground by frost makes the movements

Kansas City.

Kansas City, Jan. 1.—Hog receipts 2800; market steady to 5 cents higher; bulk of sales \$7.15@7.30, heavy \$7.30@7.35, light \$7.10@7.30, pigs \$6.40@6.75.

Cattle receipts 1000; market steady; prime fed steers \$9@10.00, dressed beef steers \$7.25@9.00, southern steers \$5.50@7.50, cows \$4.50@7.25, heifers \$6.50@8.75, stockers \$6.25@8.00. Bethune, where the Germans claim they have taken a British trench. They admit, however, the loss of St. George's, near the Belgian coast, which selves at the heads of armies.

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Boston, Jan. 1.—The Commercial Bulletin's canvass of the entire country shows total stocks of wool on hand and unsold at the close of 1914 to be 59,705,758 pounds, compared with a total last year of 93,033,249 pounds. Boston stocks totalled this year 28,340,308 pounds against 43,800,549 pounds last year.

The market this week is very strong with medium and coarse wools keenly

The market this week is very strong with medium and coarse wools keenly sought and somewhat dearer. The goods markets are without material change, war contracts constituting the bulk of the business.

Missouri three-eighth blood 27@28; quarter-blood 26½@27; braid 24@25.

Kentucky and similar half-blood unwashed, 28@29; three-eighth blood unwashed, 28@29; three-eighth blood unwashed, 29@30.

washed 29@30.
Scoured basis: Texas fine 12-months 56@58; fine 8-months 53@55.

Three Members of Board Are Named

Temple. The home was decorated for the occasion with autumn leaves, mistle-toe and cut flowers. Enjoying the occasion with the hostess and the guest of honor were Miss Howard and Mr. Lang ford.

Phillips Represents Wilson.
Washington, Jan. I.—William Phillips, third assistant secretary of state, left here tonight for Litchfield. Conn., where here tonight for Litchfield. Conn., where will represent Secretary Bryan and the president tomorrow at the funeral of William W. Rockkill, the noted diplomate the president tomorrow at the funeral of William W. Rockkill, the noted diplomate with the final of William W. Rockkill, the noted diplomate with the final of William W. Rockkill, the noted diplomate with the final of William W. Rockkill, the noted diplomate with the momentum carried his engine on. It is believed a misunderstanding of orders caused the wreck.

Destruction of British

President Wilson

Washington, Jan. 1.—President Wilson has addressed a letter to Democratic Leader Underwood and Representative Adamson, chairman of the house interstate commerce committee, urging a prompt enactment of the pending coast great hill.

PARIS.—J. L. 1 salesman, who can

who went down with her. So far as known only 141 of the Formidable's crew of 750 were rescued.

The British admiralty has not given the locality where the disaster occurred and declares it is unable to say whether the ship struck a mine or was torpedoed; but as the British decay to the stage has been active in shelling German positions on the Belgian coast and as German submarines have been inore and more using Zeebrugge as a base, the inclination here is to believe that a submarine again has been active in shelling of the situation seems virtually to have reached a position of stalemate. Neither side has been able to make any great impression on their stalemate. Neither side has been able to make any great impression on their stalemate. Neither side has been able to make any great impression on their stalemate. Neither side has been able to make any great impression on their stalemate. Neither side has been able to make any great impression on their antagonists' line, and both being very strongly entrenched, it is considered unlikely that either the Germans or allies will attempt another general offensive until superiority in numbers is attained by reinforcements.

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Robber Is Killed by a Storekeeper

St. Louis, Jan. 1.—For the second time within a week a robber was killed here tonight by the storekeeper whom he tried to hold up. The dead man was identi-fied as Charles Tozer, 30 years old. He was killed by George Vasleoplous, a res-taurant owner., while two accomplices were attempting to empty the cash reg-ister. The accomplices escaped.

ANNOUNCEMENTS.

For City Commissioner.
Wiley J. Dunken is a candidate for the office of city commissioner, place No. 1 (finance commissioner), subject to the action of the democratic pri-mary, Feb. 16, 1915.

John C. Davis is a candidate for re-election to the office of city secretary, subject to the action of the demo-cratic primary, Feb. 16, 1915.

For City Tax Assessor and Collector.
E. M. Ainsworth is a candidate for the office of city tax assessor and col-Revolution in Paraguay. lector, subject to the action of democratic primary, Feb. 16, 1915.

A Pennsylvania sportsman has invented a clamp to hold an electric torch on a rifle or shotgun barrel for hight shooting.

R. L. Stribling is a candidate for reelection to the office of city tax assessor and collector, subject to the action of the democratic primary, Feb. The dispatch adds that Dr. Eduardo Sherer, president of the republic, is a prisoner.

Carter H. Harrison

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TEXAS DEATHS.

TERRELL.-Miss Ora Webb, daugh-Writes Underwood
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> PARIS .- J. L. Miller, a traveling salesman, who came here two years ago frem Indiana, died at his home on South Twenty-seventh street from heart failure. The Paris Masonic lodge officiated at the funeral.

SHERMAN.-Evans Lusk, 35 years of age, died here Thursday morning. He was said to have relatives at De Leon, Tex., and his body is being held at the undertaking house of Haynes & Sparer until they can be heard from

DE LEON .- The Rev. G. W. Smith of Abilene, who was for a number of years pastor of the First Baptist church of this place, died on Dec. 29. DE LEON .- Tom Torrance, a prom

inent resident of this place, died early Wednesday morning of heart failure. He leaves a widow and large family of

WOODROW WILSON'S SUCCESSOR Baldassari Dirosa Thought George Washington Might be the Man. Baldassari Dirosa appeared before

Justice Giegerich in the supreme court today to get his first citizenship papers.
"Who is the president of the Unit-

ed States?" he was asked.
"Mr. Wilson," replied Dirosa.
"Who is the governor of New

"Mr. Glynn." "Very good. And if President Wilson should die, who would take office as president?"

"George Washington." Dirosa was accepted as a firstpaper man.-New York Evening Post

Buenos Ayres, Jan. 1.-La Presna today prints a dispatch received from Formosa, Argentina, stating that a

ter H. Harrison Again a Candidate CAMPAIGN STARTED

Conn., on a warrant charging him with

according to the police, and backed by other evidence, it is alleged, revealed that an organization of influential lawyers exists for the purpose of suing large corporations, particularly the New Haven road, for slight or imaginary in-

juries in accident cases. The members of the "trust," District Attorney Martin said, generally have set-tled these cases out of court for large

damages, 50 per cent of which invariably went to the lawyers.

The alleged perjury in Murray's case concerned his testimony at a coroner's inquest a year ago regarding the death of James Fletcher, who had been accidentally killed.

dentally killed.

Jim Duffy Wins.

Buffalo, N. Y., Jan. 1.—Jimmy Duffy
of Lockport outpointed Sam Robideau
of Philadelphia today in a ten-round bout. Each man scored a knockdown

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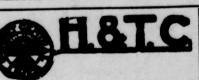
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two lengthy fronts.

The fishting in Flanders and northern France has been confined largely shown by an army order issued to-

to artillery engagements, except near night constituting six armies of three

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ideals animating the people of a community as

where the Germans claim corps each. Thus several generals

a beautifully kept cemetery. To appreciate this, visit Park Lawn, Waco's most beautiful and only "perpetual care" cemetery. CEMETERY 4th and Gurley Sts.

8:30 a.m.

3:30 a.m.

RAILROAD TIME TABLE.

Missouri, Kansas & Texas Railway.
Il trains arrive and depart at M., K. &
T. station, corner Eighth and Jackson
streets. W. A. Morrow, district passenger agent, Sixth and Franklin
streets.

Northbound.

No. 8, "Katydid," for Dallas and Fort Worth. No. 10, Limited for St. Louis and Kansas City, via Dallas and Fort Worth....

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T. station, corner Eighth and Jackson
streets. W. A. Morrow, district passenger agent, Sixth and Franklin streets.

Eastbound.

No. 23 arrives 4:30 p.m. No. 22 arrives 8:30 a.m.

Southbound

Temple, Jan. 1.-The Texas Profita ble Farming Campaign, which has been mentioned prominently in the columns of the Texas press for several months, took

the Texas press for several months, took tangible form here today with the establishing of permanent headquarters at the Temple Chamber of Commerce.

C. M. Carroll of Chicago, C. C. Kirkpatrick, secretary of the Chamber of Commerce of Little Rock, Ark, and B. M. Angle of Chicago, arrived in Temple as the advance representatives of Perry G. Holden of Chicago and have joined various forces of the state to organize the campaign.

Among the institutions of the state to participate in the campaign will be the state University of Texas under the leadership of Dr. E. Caswell Ellis, director of the university extension work;

state University of Texas under the leadership of Dr. E. Caswell Ellis, director of the university extension work; the Texas state experiment stations, under the supervision of Barney Youngblood, director of the Texas state experiment stations; the United States department of agriculture, represented by W. F. Proctor, state agent, and Miss Bernice Carter, state agent in charge of canning clubs; the state department of agriculture, represented by Commissioner Ed R. Kone, and Commissioner-elect Fred W. Davis; the 1-xas Farmers' Union, represented by W. D. Lewis, president, and Peter Radford, national lecturer; the United States department of animal industry, represented by Dr. L. J. Allen and E. M. Riley, in charge of tick eradication; the Texas State Bankers' association, represented by Joseph Hirsch, chairman of the agricultural committee, and the Texas Industrial Congress, represented by E. W. Kirkpatrick, president.

The slogan of the campaign is "Texas Will Feed Herself and Keep \$200,000,000 at Home." Nearly 700 meetings will be scheduled for homes, school houses and towns. Business men will accompany the lecturers to the country. The plan

towns. Business men will accompany the lecturers to the country. The plan is to reach the individual in his home, study his problems and assist wherever possible. The campaign will be made under any and all conditions and the means of conveyance to the country will be automobiles, buggies and horse and mulchack.

LORD FISHER,

Who was appointed to succeed Prince Louis of Battenberg as First Sea Lord

county.

The executive committee is as follows: O. B. Colquitt, governor; James E. Ferguson, governor-elect; E. W. Kirkpatrick, president Texas Industrial congress, McKinney; J. H. Connell, president Texas division of the Southern Cotton association, Dallas; E. B. Spiller, Fort Worth; Joseph Hirsch, chairman agricultural committee, Texas Bankers' association, Corpus Christi; C. C. French, director Texas Baby Beef club, Fort Worth; D. E. Colp, secretary Texas Good Roads association, San Antonio; A. B. Case, manager Armour & Co., at Fort Worth; Robert Gibson, secretary Texas Cotton Seed association; Dallas; W. D. Lewis, president Texas Farmers' union. Worth; Robert Gibson, secretary Texas Cotton Seed association; Dallas; W. D. Lewis, president Texas Farmers' union, Fort Worth; T. L. Peeler, industrial commissioner M., K. & T. Ry. Co., Dallas; Morris Sheppard, United States senator; H. M. Bainer, agricultural commissioner Santa Fe Railroad Co., Amarillo; Miss Bernice Carter, state canning agent, College Station; B. Youngblood, director of the Texas state experiment stations, College Station; J. E. Boog-Scott, cattleman, Coleman; Adolph Boldt, secretary Chamber of Commerce, Houston; J. E. Surratt, secretary Commercial Executives' association, Dallas; E. P. Holland, publisher Farm and Ranch, Dallas; J. W. Riggins, mayor of Waco; W. W. Woodson, president of the Southern railway, declared today that war's effect on business conditions in the south is proving only temporary; that the demand for cotton is growing, and he predicted a general revival of business. "The world must have cotton," he said. "The demand, both for export and there has been a substantial advance in prices since the low point when the depression was at its worst. "With larger movement of cotton there will come an increased demand for merchandise of all kinds in the south and a general revival of business. "Southern farmers are meeting the situation confronting them by planning to reduce the acreage of cotton splanted in 1915 and to devote the land thus released from cotton to other crops and to livestock. Statistics of the United States department of agricultural agents of the Southern railway show substantial increase in the acreage planted in fall grain in every southern state and the prospects are that a ture of Texas.

"TED" LEWIS BEATS MOORE.

Philadelphia, Jan. 1.—Honors were about even at the end of a fast six-round bout between Young Ahearn of Brooklyn and Jack Dillon of Indianapolis here today. Ahearn conceded the Indianapolis lightweight eight pounds in

"Ted" Lewis, a lightweight of England, outpointed Willie Moore of Philadelphia in six rounds at another club.

NORTON WINS OVER MCMAHON.

Kansas City, Jan. 1 .- Al Norton of Los Kansas City, Jan. 1.—Al Norton of Los Angeles won a decision over Tom Mc-Mahon of Pittsburg in a ten-round bout here today. Norton apparently had more speed and for the first five rounds jabbed to McMahon's face with a left almost constantly. McMahon apparently recovered in the latter part of the bout but was unable to overcome Morton's lead. The men are heavy weights.

Notice to Water Consumers.

Water rents for the January quarter are now due and payable at the office of the Waco City Waterworks, 617 Washington. Fifteen days from the first are allowed in which to pay. Please come in before the last day and avoid the rush. After the 15th, remember the penalty.

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New Sea Lord.



muleback.

The plan of inviting the farmer to come to town to meetings will be reversed; on the other hand, the business man and the merchant will accompany the lecturers to the country.

Organization work will proceed for the next thirty days throughout Central Texas and on January 11 the forces will assemble in Temple to begin a two-weeks' campaign to cover a county a day with about sixty meetings in each county.

The executive committee is as fol-

substantial increase in the acreage planted in fall grain in every southern state and the prospects are that a larger acreage of corn will be planted

in the spring. in the spring.

"With a smaller crop of cotton the southern farmers will be assured of a better price for the crop of 1915 and for that part of the crop of 1914 which must be carried over, and with a larger than they will profit the crop of the c production of grain they will profit from the inevitable European de-

Mr. Harrison added that many southern manufacturers realize oppor-tunities for export business growing out of the war and that reports indicate they are "taking intelligent steps to secure a share of the trade."

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larg larger pay roll, a steady and stable
growth and at the same time make sure
a ready and profitable market for the
raw products produced in her trade territory. Thus creating a steady demand
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\$3850 is a real bargain investment in a modern bungalow, located near the car line and in one of the best sections of northwest Waco.

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\$2500—This can't be beaten for the money. Located within 200 feet of paved street, an extra well built cottage, garage, etc. Lot south front, 50x165 feet. Owner will consider vacant lot or a Ford as a partial payment and give liberal terms, on balance.

\$15,000—This is a very reasonable value for one of the best located apartment houses in the city. Party will consider a good farm in exchange. Do not turn this down without investigating.

West Texas is blooming like a rose this year, the harvest is unsurpassed and now is the time to invest there. We have a client who has a 6000-acre ranch who is very anxious to turn same into Waco property. What have you to offer?

One of the best farms surrous Waco is to be sold at a sacrifice. There are 150 acres in high state of cultivation, good improvements, located on one of the new roads leading out of the city. Party will consider some trade. Don't Party will consider some trade. Don't miss this opportunity of securing one of the best investments being offered in good black waxy land.

NEWLY furnished rooms, rates reasonable. 612½ Austin St., Austin Hotel, new phone 2276.

\$30,000 worth of the best trackage prop-erty in the city; and which would make an ideal factory site, all clear of in cumbrance, to exchange for good far.

\$75,000 worth of vendor lien notes to exchange for a piece of business property. These notes are A-1, so do not try to trade off a debt. But if you have a first-class piece of property party will give same careful consideration.

FOR RENT—Two rooms furnished for light housekeeping; reasonable. 215 N. 7th, new phone 2470.

ROOMS—Furnished rooms for light housekeeping. 702 S. 3d St., new phone 1560.

These are only a few of the many opportunities that we have to offer, and we would be glad to have any and all prospective investors (or property owners who desire to sell or exchange) call and let us show them where we can make it of interest to do so.

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Investigate.
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cash payment, balance arranged.
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If you have any vacant rent houses the property of the prope

phone us.

If you have any vacant rent houses phone us and we will get a tenant for you. We negotiate loans and place good vendor's lien paper. If we can be of service to you, phone, write or

Room and Board

come to see us.
WILIE & CARPENTER,
903 Amicable Bidg. Phon Phones 2323

For Sale—Miscellaneous

FOR SALE—Male collie puppy, eight months old; sable and white, beautifully marked; will be at W. A. Holt & Co. Saturday, 407 Franklin St.

WOOD, WOOD, WOOD—Dry oak wood delivered from car, \$4.59 and \$5 cord. 350 sticks stove wood, \$1. Both phones 2005. W. J. Moseley.

FOR SALE—\$200 Victrola in first-class order, and lot records for \$125. Call new phone 2483.

HONEY—Guaranteed pure, fine quality, 120 pounds strained, \$9.60; 120 pounds comb, \$12, f. o. b. Hondo. A. H. Rnolle, Sandia, Tex.

WOOD FOR SALE—Good cord wood, \$2.50 per cord on ground, or \$4 delivered, if taken now. Hall Etter, Ind. phone 8008-R3.

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FOR RENT—Two nicely furnished bed rooms, with private bath, furnished heat; also two garages. 529 N. 15th St., new

FOR RENT—Three nice unfurnished rooms, all modern conveniences; two blocks from car line. Price reasonable. 605 James St.

FOR RENT—Two unfurnished rooms and kitchenette for light housekeeping, with modern conveniences. Apply at 1815 N. 5th St., or ring new phone 3106.

FOR RENT—Rooms, completely furnished for housekeeping, all conveniences, no children. Old phone 597.

several modern convenience handsomely equipped steam heated rooms to regular roomers by the week or month; hot and cold running water at all times; in order to fill them at once, will make the price as low as \$10 per month. First come, first served. Both phones—old 396, new 1391.

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THREE furnished rooms for housekeep ing or sleeping rooms. 615 N. 5ta.

FOR RENT-One modern 6-room house on N. 11th St., one block from car line. \$22.50 per month. Apply W. L. Dugger, care Dugger Gro. Co.

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San Antonio, Texas.

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PLEASE notify us if you have any home. M. B. Ise Kream Co., both phones

WANTED—To repair shoes. Nicosia Boot and Shoe Factory, 318 Austin St. STOVES and furniture repaired; work guaranteed. Old phone 2217. New phone

CALL a Navigator messenger boy if you are in a hurry; all calls carried direct. Speedy, reliable and courteous our motto. WANTED-To repair your stoves. Reese, or Coal Oil John, 394 old phone. WE BUY and sell and exchange second-

hand furniture; new and second-hand stoves. Johnson Furniture Co., 221 S. 8th St., old phone 325, new 1060. WOOD SAWING. Ring new phone 1194 and get your wood sawed at once.

Trade and Exchange

AN OPPORTUNITY FOR SOMEONE AN OPPORTUNITY FOR SOMEONE.

An ideal country home, with every modern convenience, barns, etc., I mile of city limits; about 80 acres stock-2 with Jerseys, Duroc hogs, poultry, etc. About 60 acres in cultivation, subdivided in pastures and fields; about thirty acres subject to irrigation; artesian water; beautiful park with lake; will trade or sell on easy terms; no cash required; about \$20,000 invested. Must be seen to be appreciated.

N. M. GAY.

314½ Franklin St. Phones 786.

Automobiles, Tires, Etc.

FOR SALE OR TRADE-1913 Cadillac, A-1 condition. J. S. Hill.

RATES FOR Classified Ads

Sunday paper is counted as Daily.

Classified Ads will be taken over the telephone and are payable on pre-sentation by collector the same day the ads run. Ads for Sunday paper to be properly classified must be in this office betore 7 o clock Saturday

Want Ad Department.

Cleaning and Pressing

SUITS PRESSED, 50c. Burnett's, nev phone 463. 413 Franklin St. J. W. MOOK, Tailor Shop, work called for and delivered. 109 N. 8th St.

press and measure for your new suit. Prices right. Call new phone 1907; 117 N. 5th St. GRAVETT JONES CO., Stocks and Bonds

Lumber and Building

THE WACO SCOURITIES CO.,

plete housebills shipped snywhere; long leaf lumber; grades gusranteed; send us your estimates we can save you money, J. C. STOU7 LUMBER CO., Lake Charles, La.

Carpet Cleaning

EXPERT CARPET LEANING, vacuum process; reasonable prices. Wilson's car-pet cleaning shop. new phone 1831.

ATTEND TOBY'S BUSINESS COL-LEGE, NONE BETTER. OPEN ALL YEAR. ALSO TEACH BY MAIL.

FIRE AND BURGLAR PROOF SAFES. We sell the Herring-Hall-Marvin Safes and Vault Doors. Some good second-hand safes in stock. Norman H. Smith & Co., 410 Austin St., Waco, Texas.

Lost, Found, Strayed, Etc.

A War Casualty.

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"What do you mean by calling me up at this time of night? Henry, I'll be waiting for you when you get home," she waiting for you when you get home," she waiting dreadfully. "I jus' wanted tell meshand, Dr. Derby, has been first assistant to Dr. Joseph Blake, of the American ambulance hospital.

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or more insertions, Vec a word for each insertion. No ad taken for less than 25 cents

Call either phone 1132 and ask for

WANTED-Your clothes to clean and

BANKERS AND BROKERS, DEALERS IN HIGH-CLASS STOCK AND BONDS, WACO, TEX.

Material LUMBER-All building materials; com-

Wanted to Buy

Nicosia stin St. or 7 Oliver typewriter; must be cheap Address Box 26, care Morning News.

Educational

Fire & Burglar Proof Safes

LOST—One child's glove, in or near Woulf's bookstore. New phone 3386.

American ambulance hospital.

On Christmas eve Colonel Roosevelt will adhere to his custom of assisting in the distribution of Christmas gifts at the entertainment of Christ Church Sunday school, Oyster Bay.—New York Tribune.

Over. Good night."—Buffalo Express.

For the use of naturalists there has been invented a cane containing a compass, double lens, thermometer, sand glass and bottle to hold flowers or insects.

	Houston & lexas Central.
	All trains arrive and depart at the Un
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St. Louis, Southwestern Railway. I trains arrive and depart at the Union station, corner Fourth and Mary Sts. W. S. Gillespie, city ticket agent, 111 S. Fourth St. arrives No. 1 (to Gatesville, Hamilton and Comanche) leaves. 11:95 a.m. No. 2 (from Gatesville, Hamil-ton and Comanche) ar-

rives 5:10 p.m. International & Great Northern. International & Great Northern.

All trains arrive and depart at the Union station, corner Fourth and Mary Sts.

J. C. Jones, city ticket agent, 110 S. Fourth St.

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No. 16 arrives
No. 16 leaves San Antonio & Aransas p nion All trains arrive and depart at a.m. station, corner Fourth and p.m. C. D. Bowman, ticket agent Prast Com. · I volunteers

and intermediate points (stopping only in cities and towns), 5:10, 7:10, 9:10 and 11:10 a. m., 1:10, 3:10, and 5:10

ARRIVING—
Local cars, from Hillsboro and intermediate points, 7:40 a. m.; from Dallas and intermediate points, 10:25 a. m., 12:25, 2:25, 4:25, 6:25, 8:25 and 1 a. m.
Limited cars from Waxahachie and intermediate points (stopping only in cities and towns), 9 a. m. (This car may make local stops when necessary between Waxahachie and Hillsboro); from Dallas and intermediate points, (stopping only in cities and towns), 11 a. m. and 1, 2, 5, 7, 9 and 11 p. m. (This last car makes local stops south of Waxahachie when necessary). ARRIVING-

The annual meeting of the share-helders of the First National bank of Waco, Tex., will be held on Tuesday, Jan. 12, 1915, at its banking house, to elect directors and transact any other business that may be presented. Polls will be open from 10 a. m. to, 12 m. GEO, S. McGHEE, Cashier.

(Adv.)

By George McManus

Bringing Up Father



RECEPTION AND HOUSE WARM-ING OF Y M B L DEMONSTRATE SOUND CONDITIONS.

Over 500 Men Jam Club Rooms to Participate in Get-together Meeting. Sound Business Talks Delivered.

Business men of Waco are opti mistic. They demonstrated that last night at the open-house given by the directors of the Y. M. B. L. in the league rooms. Every speech was bristling with optimism. When Col. W. A. Poage said, "God Almighty's on our side and is giving us good weather. We've got nothing else to do but smile," the applause was so uproarious that it was several minutes before he could continue. There were at least 500 men present and members of the league declared the crowd was the largest in the history of the organization.

Frank Tirey acted as toastmaster and told some stories in his introductions that caused hearty laughs. The invocation was delivered by Rev. W. P. Witsell, Outs a delegation was presented. Witsell. Quite a delegation was present from Temple, and there were visitors from several other cities.

"Looking Forward," was the topic assigned President S. P. Brooks of Baylor university. He said that now is the time when is the time when every man should realize that every other man is his neighbor. The business men of Waco, he advised not to live in a corner, but to get in touch with the world. "Do to get in touch with the world. "Do not depend on somebody else to do for us what we can do for ourself," for us what we can do for ourself," was his general advice to everybody. Building on broad foundations of sense and reason, he said, was the only way to make the city what it should be. He called attention to the fact that man does not live for himself, but for his fellows, also. He urged the cultivation of optimism.

his fellows, also. He urged the cultivation of optimism.

Secretary E. F. Drake of the Chamber of Commerce talked on "Commercial Co-operation." He said Waco was one of the best organized cities in Texas, but that there was still room for improvement. Hog raising was one occupation that he said the farmers might take up profitably. About \$1,277,550 a year is spent in Waco for products of the hog, he said. He spoke of the measure of prosperity and said of the measure of prosperity and said that the future outlook for Waco was

most promising.

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A reark cchool. He told of having the resent institutions in Waco grow, including the Y. M. B. L., of which he said he was proud to be a member. That the growth would con-

tinue was his belief, he said.

Edward Rotan, president of the First
National bank, toasted the year "1915."

He said that a pessimistic friend of
his had said that there were only two certain things that could be said of 1915, that it followed 1914 and preceded 1916. He expressed the hope that the war in Europe would come to an end in 1915.

The south is not bankrupt, he de-clared. Now is the time, he said, not only to help others but to help our-"There is absolutely nothing that should give us sober concern so far as our future is concerned," he said. He said what he had said be-fore, that he believed the man who was a bear on this country would go

A letter was read from I. Friedlander, announcing that he had given a chair and table for the assembly room. A vote of thanks was unanimously given him. A letter was also read from J. F. Wieser of Hico, expressing his best wishes to the Y. M. B. L. for

the coming year.

W. B. Head, assistant to the president of the Texas Power and Light company, extended an invitation to the formal opening of the new plant next Friday afternoon. The directors of the Chamber of Commerce and Y. M B. L. will be in charge of this reception, which will be from 2 to 5 o'clock "Stunts" were given by the Texas
Hat Co., Cotto-Waxo Co., Waco Mattress Co. and Waco Mill & Elevator
Co. Thomas Archibald, for the hat company, showed three hats of various size, illustrating the size of business for 1913, 1914 and what they intended to make it in 1915. J. M. Rhoads presented a bottle of Mother Goose polis to the league and gave a recitation. Bates McKinney presented a diminu-

toastmaster, President W. W. Woodson closed the meeting with a talk in which he urged ody to help make Waco grow in Refreshments were served, per's Best Coffee and M. B. butterbeing donated for the occasion was, president of the Templ of Commerce, made a talk versification. He said that inty, beginning January 11, diversification would be Prof. Perry G. Holden of a corps of workers, has to give lectures and a campaign will be car said that the farmer is

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confident that his work will accomplish large results in Texas.

Soil conservation and productivity, rotation and diversification of crops and various other things related to better and more profitable farming,



Our January Clearance Sale of Men's Furnishing Goods Starts Today

The deepest price reductions on Men's Shirts, Underwear, Neckwear, House Coats and Smoking Jackets of the season. The January Sale of Men's Furnishings at the Sanger Store presents

opportunity of the year to "stock-up" on Shirts, Underwear, Neckwear, etc. These prices make it well worth while to anticipate your needs and buy now. The styles are all new and the qualities the best possible and the prices unmatchably low. Plan to make your selection today.

Shirts at January Clearance Sale Prices

and Plain Bosom Negli-\$1.35

Bosom Negligee Shirts, special, each 95c

One lot Men's \$2.00 fancy Plaited | One lot Men's \$3 and \$3.50 fancy Plaited and Soft Boson \$1.85 Negligee Shirts, special \$1.85

One lot Men's \$1.50 fancy Plaited | One lot Men's \$4.00 and \$5.00 Silk Shirts, broken sizes, \$2.85

All Men's Flannel and Woolen Shirts Reduced for This Sale as Follows

\$1.50 Flannel and Woolen Shirts, special each \$1.15 shirts, special each

Men's Flannelette Night Shirts Reduced for This Sale as Follows

MEN'S HATS

ONE-THIRD OFF

REGULAR

PRICES

Our Entire Stock In-

cluded in This

MEN'S \$1.50 GLOVES

AT \$1.15.

Special lot of Men's \$1.50

Tan and Black Cape Dress Gloves, special \$1.15

50e Flannelette Night Shirts, spe- 39c | \$1.25 Flannelette Night Shirts, special each 95c



Men's Smoking Jackets at One-Fourth Off

\$5.00 Smoking Jackets, special each \$3.75 \$6.50 Smoking Jackets, special each \$4.88 \$7.50 Smoking Jackets, special each \$5.63 \$8.50 Smoking Jackets, special each \$6.38 \$10.00 Smoking Jackets, special each \$7.50 \$12.50 Smoking Jackets, special each \$9.38

Men's Woolen Undershirts and Drawers, Also Union Suits, Special for This Sale at 25 Per Cent Off Regular Prices

\$1.00 Woolen Undershirts **75c** | \$2.50 Woolen Undershirts and Drawers, at a garment **75c** | Drawers, at a gar-

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\$5.00 Woolen Undershirts and Drawers, at a garment\$3.75

Men's Neckwear Prices Reduced

Special lot of Men's 50c Neckwear, spe- \$1.00 cial at 35c, 3 for Special lot of Men's \$1.00 Neckwear, special at Special lot of Men's \$1.50 Neckwear, spe-Special lot of Men's \$2.00 Neckwear, \$1.25 special at

Men's Hosiery at Special Prices

Special lot of Men's 50c | Special lot of Men's 25e Black Lisle Hose, Fancy Pure Silk Hose, special at 35c a pair, 3 for \$1 special at a pair 50c 25 Per Cent Off on All Men's and Women's Suit Cases and Hand Bags and Fitted Traveling Cases.

\$3.00 Woolen Undershirts and

Drawers, at a gar-

All Coat Sweaters Go in This Sale at 25 Per Cent Off Regular Prices. ROLL NECK JERSEYS

REDUCED.

Men's \$1.50 Jer-seys, special.... 95c seys, special....

Men's \$2 Jer-seys, special. \$1.35

Men's \$2.50 Jerseys, special \$1.65

Our Entire Stock of Men's Clothing at 1-3 Off

Men's Regular \$10.00 Suits and Overcoats. Men's Regular \$12.50 Suits and Overcoats, at Men's Regular \$15.00 Suits and Overcoats. Men's Regular \$17.50 Suits and Overcoats. at Men's Regular \$18.50 Suits and Overcoats, \$12.34 at Men's Regular \$20.00 Suits and Overcoats. at Men's Regular \$22.50 Suits and Overcoats, at

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25 Per Cent Off on All Men's Jewelry

Our Entire Stock BOYS' SUITS AND

ONE-THIRD OFF REGULAR PRICES

25 Per Cent Off on Men's

Pocket Knives

A COMPLETE LINE OF ALL THE NEW VICTOR RECORDS For January ON SALE HERE.

BUY A VICTOR VICTROLA HERE ON SPECIAL LOW TERMS

anger Brothers OUR POLICY "THE PUBLIC BE PLEASED"

THE INTERURBAN AND ALL WACO STREET CARS COME HERE DIRECT.

will be discussed by the various lecturers and demonstrators, according to Mr. Rummel, it being contemplated "Three crippled a to send them out in companies of two to the various communities where the farmers are interested. Prof. Holden's cab, was taken out of harness for rest party of about twelve will be increased by five instructors from the extension department of the Universe to the transfer of the Universe to t merits of Belle of Waco Flour and as, and others from the extension department of the University of Texhad some fun at the expense of the toastmaster. the state experiment stations.

Music was furnished by a nine-piece orchestra and a male quartette, con-sisting of C. H. Anderson, A. C. Uple-ger, John DeHeck and G. N. Bebout.

"Lock" on Turkeys' Wings Thing of the Past; Humane Repot

A feature of the report of the Hu-nane society for the month of Decem-per is that through its activity the habit indulged in by some wholesale dealers of "locking" turkey wings has been discontinued. The society requested that the dealers do not lock turkey wings for delivery, and the dealers heeded the request. It is said some of the dealers had done so in the

of the Chamber Rock, Ark., who dicity and other work in our midst. It is active and of Commerce of Liche Rock, Ark., who had charge of the publicity and other features of the very successful campaign that was recently completed in that state. Mr. Rummel is well acquainted with Prof. Holden, and is confident that his work will accomplished. The sentiment is growing, and Waco has now a permanent organization in a live, working Humane society.

"During the month four horses have been accomplished."

twenty years of faithful service, was

"Three crippled animals were re-

"Two horses afflicted with glanders (one being deserted by owner, found hitched on the public square) were killed and lot and stable cleaned and disinfected.

"Wholesale dealers requested not to lock turkey wings for delivery; request politely heeded.

"A dog, badly mutilated by being run over by car, was killed and consistend to garbage furnace.

"Many were urged by the humane officer to wash the mud from their animals and put them in a more healthy and cleanly condition.

"One horse ordered given more feed and moderate works, enother reduced."

and moderate work; another reduced to such extremity as to be shot; one "For a meat market delivery horse with bad foot, daily treatment and little driving prescribed.
"Two horses with bad teeth (which mule ordered shod.

produce indigestion) turned over to veterinarian for treatment; also, an-other diseased sent for medical atten-

"A negro was locked up for beating a helpless horse with broken leg; horse ordered killed.

New Year Plan.

St. Paul, Minn., Jan. 1.—As a New Year greeting to its 3,600 employes, the Twin City Rapid Transit company announced today that a pension plan, providing retirement on practi-cally half pay at the age of 65, has been adopted, together with plans for accident sickness and death benefits.

Your Rheumatism Can Be Relieved by using Eimer & Amend's N. Y. 2851. Recommended by all who have used it. Reliable druggists carry it.

Wesleyan Men's Class Strives for Hundred Men at Next Meeting

The Wesleyan Business Men's class of Austin Avenue Methodist Sunday school is making an active and personal canvass of the male member-ship of the church, with a view to

two hundred postals bearing the forlowing wording have been mailed out:

Wanted.

"One hundred men to meet with the
Wesleyan Business Men's class of the
Austin Avenue Methodist Sunday
school, Sunday, January 3rd, 1915. We
want you to be one of the ONE HUNDRED, and we shall be disappointed
if you are not present.

To express the hope for many recommendation of the day.
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of attending Sunday school, meet with us this FIRST SUNDAY IN THE NEW YEAR and we believe you will like us well enough to come again. At any rate, do not fail us THIS ONE

The card is signed by F. A. Winchell, president, and G. W. Barcus, teacher.

Crow Bros. Host

An "old-fashioned" country dinner was the means taken by Crow Bros. to entertain its employes on New Year's Day. In a rear yard of the Crow laundry, Second and Franklin streets, a big pot, filled with good things, was boiling when the employes gathered. The event was greatly enjoyed.

the scene of recent labor troubles.

Judge Youmans held any proposition to operate the mines useless, asserting that there was no money, and no hope of obtaining any, at the command of the receiver. The court also suggested to Mr. Bache the propriety of his resigning as receiver. A hearing will be held Jan. 15 to ascertain

Birthday Party to Mrs. S. C. Lattimore, Aged Seventy-four

Mrs. S. C. Lattimore of Dublin, Central Texas Trust mother of Prof. J. C. Lattimore, superintendent of the public schools of the city; Senator O. S. Lattimore of naving one hundred men present next Fort Worth and Mrs. R. B. Spencer of Sunday morning.

Four committees composed of men from the regular class membership have been calling this week upon the at the Spencer home and during the spencer home. this city celebrated her 74th birthday en of the church and securing a piedge to be present on the first Sunday of the New Year, and in addition to this two hundred postals bearing the following wording baye been mailed out. to express the hope for many returns Senator Lattimore is returning from a week's duck hunting on the coast.

Concerns Insolvent

Fort Smith, Ark., Jan. 1.—Each of the eight subsidiary mining corporations involved in the receivership of the Bache-Denman company is insolthe Bache-Denman company is insolvent, according to the decision of Federal Judge Youmans, handed down today. The decision was in the case of the Sebastian County Coal and Mining company, lessor of mining properties involved, which had petitioned the court for the removal of Franklin Bache as receiver for the Hartford valley mines of the Bache. to Their Employes Hartford valley mines of the Bache-Denman company. The mines were the scene of recent labor troubles.

whether the properties shall be placed in bankruptcy or liquidated by a new White Labor Wages United States troops under Major K. F. McClure still remain to guard nines under the federal receivership.

Company Liquidates

Announcement of the liquidation of the Central Texas Exchange Trust Co. was made yesterday. The company liquidated December 30. Stockholders of the company were paid \$107 per share, being full value. The company was organized in 1912, with a capital stock of \$350,000. Its business was to handle city and farm loans, discounting same.

Thursday night, was the elimination of the non-resident Mexican from the field of labor in this section. A statement to this effect having as its purpose the sounding of the business interests of the city on the question has been prepared. This was circulated. The statement declares the signers will give preference to home labor over Mexicans. Further developments in the fight laboring men are making counting same.

Yaqui River on Rise. Douglas, Ariz., Jan. 1—The Yaqui river in southern Sonora has left its banks, drowning stock, destroying bridges, farm improvements, crops and irrigation ditches, according to arrivals here today. The inhabitants have sought safety in the hills and it is rumored some have drowned.

Its Fight to Take Place of Mexicans

Unemployed white men in Waco, following up the meeting held Thursday night, met twice yesterday to fur-ther consider the labor question. The sentiment of the meetings, like that of Thursday night, was the elimination of the non-resident. over Mexicans. Further developments in the fight laboring men are making to displace imported Mexicans is expected today.

Mars Is Outpointed.
Columbus, Ohlo, Jan. 1.—Patsy Cline
of New York outpointed K. O. Mars of
Cincinnati in a 12-round bout here tonight. Cline hit almost at will, but
Mars struck with greater force. They
boxed at 122½ pounds.

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Our equipment is sufficient to handle your business Our pay roll is from \$700.00 to \$1000.00 per weck, and is spent in WACO by CITIZENS of WACO Business goes where it is invited and remains where it is

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